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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Lost—An appetite.

Charles C. Clough, the old P. A. baseball star, is spending several days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Monro of Mineral street are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Nellie E. Blackburn is visiting relatives and friends in New York and New Jersey for several weeks.

At a special meeting of the Andover grange held Tuesday evening, the third and fourth degrees were worked.

The degree staff of the Indian Ridge lodge of Rebekahs held a rehearsal after the regular meeting Monday evening.

Selectman B. Frank Smith and sons Stewart and Benjamin F., jr., are enjoying a hunting trip in the Maine woods.

A meeting of the Lawrence, Lowell and District Association Football League was held in Abbott Village hall, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Wood and family have closed "Arden" their summer residence here, and have gone to Boston for the winter.

A union meeting of the various lodges of the Merrimack Valley was held with Ballardvale lodge, 105, in Good Templars' hall in the Vale, Monday evening.

Edwin L. Perley, station agent at the local B. & M. station, who has been spending the past six weeks in California, in company with Mrs. Perley, has resumed his duties.

William J. Burns has purchased from Lyman A. Belknap and the heirs of the late George F. Swift a large tract of land comprising 22 acres, situated on Central and Railroad streets.

Sam D. Stevens and family, who have been spending the summer in their North Andover home will take up their residence in their Andover home about the first of November.

A female resident of Ballardvale was before Judge Stone on Sunday afternoon charged with drunkenness, but as she had a child one and one-half years old to care for, she was allowed to go.

Remember that the great K. of C. bazar comes off in the Town hall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, Oct. 24th, 25th and 26th. Tickets may be obtained of the members.

The girls of the Sophomore and Senior and of the Freshman and Junior classes at Punchard played a basketball game Wednesday afternoon, the result being 6 to 2 in favor of the Seniors and Sophomores.

The Marland Village football team defeated the Alerts on the mill field, Marland Village, Saturday afternoon, by the score of 12 to 0. The feature of the game was the playing of Charles Davis for the winners.

The Rev. M. A. Johnson, D. D., brother of Herbert S. Johnson, who resides on Stinson street, has been visiting him during the past week. The doctor has returned to Brookfield where he has charge of the Episcopal church.

About 50 members of Andover council, 1078, K. of C., attended the meeting of the Amesbury council, Monday evening. The trip to and from Amesbury was made in a special car. A delegation from the local lodge will attend the degree work at Reading Thursday night.

Katherine L. Moynihan who was elected at a recent meeting of the school committee to teach in the 5th and 6th grades in the Indian Ridge school, to fill the vacancy caused by the leave of absence granted Miss Duval, assumed her duties on Monday.

James Craig, the local champion draught player, was one of the 25 players from this vicinity to meet Charles F. Barker, champion checker player of the world, in the Caledonian hall, Lawrence, Tuesday evening. The local man played a draw with the champion.

The freshmen at Punchard held their trials for the final round of the Goldsmith prize speaking, last Friday morning. Miss L. Coyne and Miss Marjorie Morrill, Arthur Johnson and George Richardson were the four members chosen to speak before the school next Friday.

There has been put up in the reading room of the Memorial Hall Library a Hallowe'en picture bulletin. On the table below have been placed books and magazine articles on the origin of Hallowe'en, its customs and observance in different countries, and suggestions for Hallowe'en parties and entertainments.

Harvest Supper—What good things the name suggests. Come then, and enjoy the one which the Woman's Relief Corps are planning to have in G. A. R. Hall, Thursday, Oct. 25. Supper will be served from 5.30 to 7.30 and will be followed by a whist party for all who care to play. Admission, twenty-five cents. Come yourself and bring others.

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Look out for the Grange fair, Nov. 8th and 9th.

Last evening the Y. M. C. A. Bible class was held with Rev. Mr. Lombard.

The Tiger football team will play the East Ends of Lawrence on the Playstead tomorrow afternoon.

Found—At Harvest Supper, in G. A. R. hall, Oct. 25. Owner can have by coming and paying twenty-five cents.

The Phillips Academy football team will play the Harvard Second team on Brothers' Field, tomorrow afternoon at 3.30.

The Misses Mary and Lizzie Laird of Roxbury spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Charles Buchan of Central street.

The H. B. M. club held a dance in the Pilgrim hall last evening, which was very successful. Thomes' orchestra furnished the music.

At the evening service in the Free church next Sunday evening old and favorite hymns will be sung from a printed leaflet, and sketches of the hymns and their authors given.

Next Sunday, Oct. 21, at 3.30 p.m., Mr. Samuel J. Smith, chief engineer of the Arlington Mills, Lawrence, will speak at a public meeting, at the Y. M. C. A. room, Musgrove block. The public is cordially invited.

Preparations are being made for the Grange fair which is announced for Thursday and Friday evenings, November 8 and 9. It will be held in the Grange hall and, as usual, it is hoped to be successful.

Prof. E. Y. Hincks will be the preacher at the morning service in the Seminary church next Sunday and Rev. Markham W. Stackpole of the Central church, Boston, will have charge of the vesper service in the afternoon.

The Punchard High school football team were scheduled to play the Royals of Lawrence on the local grounds, Monday afternoon but the opposing team failed to put in an appearance. Signal practice took up the greater part of the afternoon's work.

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The annual meeting of the Woman's Guild of Christ church will be held in the Parish House on Thursday, October 25th, at 3 o'clock. After a short service and address, there will be the election of officers and discussion of work for the coming season. Afternoon tea will be served and all women of the Parish are urged to be present.

The Association Football team will play "Long Rovers" on the Andover Cricket grounds, Saturday, Oct. 20, kick-off at 3 o'clock. Andover's team will be: Goal, Monro; backs, Paton, Matthews; half-backs, Welsh, Clark, Anderson, capt.; forwards, Falconer, Adams, Black, Poland, A. Matthews; reserves, J. Haddon; linesman, Hutton.

The Punchard High school football team played on Wednesday afternoon, a local team, composed as follows: le, James Daly; lt, Andrew Hickey; lg, C. Bingham; c, R. Hardy; rg, R. Bingham; rt, James Donovan; re, James Stewart; qb, H. Sellars; lhb, Guy Bickell; rhb, Arthur Manning; fb, Walter Morrissey. This afternoon they will play the Johnson High school eleven on the local grounds while next Monday afternoon they will have the Methuen boys for their opponents.

Mrs. Phebe Stevens Pasho, wife of the late George N. Pasho, died at her home, 39 Liberty street, Lowell, Mass., Wednesday morning, aged 72 years. She was born in North Andover, August 18th, 1834. She is survived by two daughters, Miss Bertha S. Pasho and Miss Annie L. Pasho, one sister, Miss Hannah B. Stevens, and one brother Benjamin F. Stevens of West Somerville.

Funeral service at her home Saturday, at 2 o'clock p. m. Burial in South cemetery, Andover. Friends and relatives invited.

Save October 30th for open night at the Guild. Further particulars in next week's issue.

A new and much larger catch basin has been put in at the corner of Elm and High streets.

William Conners refereed the game, Fore River vs. Lynn Reserves, the latter being defeated by the score of 8 to 0.

Mrs. Fred G. Moore of this town rendered several vocal selections at the annual roll call meeting of the Methuen Baptist church, which was held on Tuesday evening.

The Board of registrars of voters will meet in the Town House this evening between 7.30 and 9.30 and the last meeting will be held in the Town House one week from tomorrow night between the same hours.

A valuable horse owned by John Anderson dropped dead on the Ballardvale road on Sunday afternoon the cause being heart failure. The horse was an old one and was prized very highly by the owner.

Twenty-three members of St. Matthews lodge, A. F. and A. M. attended the visitation to John Hancock lodge, Methuen, on last Friday night and an enjoyable time is reported. The return trip was made by special electric.

The following is a list of persons registered at Town House, Oct. 17th, 1906: Carl Winfred Cannon, David Stewart Dick, Daniel N. Gage, Vaughan Jealous, Farquhar Strachan Mackenzie, Markham Winston Stackpole, Frederick Wardell Whittemore.

The members of the Woman's Relief Corps are requested to bring food, consisting of salads, cold meats, beans, pies and cake, to the Grand Army hall, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 25, for the Harvest supper.

The Knights of Columbus bazaar which comes on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights of next week promises to be an important event. The members have spared no pains in the preparations and all who go are sure to have an enjoyable time.

The Woman's Foreign Mission Auxiliary of the Seminary church will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday, the 23d, at 3 o'clock, in Bartlet Chapel. The text-books for the study of the year will be distributed at this meeting. A large attendance is earnestly desired.

The Punchard High school football team defeated the Royal Bengals, Wednesday afternoon on the local playstead by the score of 5 to 0. The game was close and interesting from start to finish, the defeated eleven being strong, but fumbled at critical moments.

Fred A. Towle, who has been in the employ of Charles Murphy the barber, for the past few years, has removed with his family from Andover to his old home in North Conway, N. H. Since his arrival in Andover he has gained hosts of friends who will miss him. Two new barbers have entered Mr. Murphy's employ.

On next Wednesday evening the members of Mt. Hope lodge of Methuen will make a visit to Andover lodge when they will bring a visiting cabinet which will be left with the local lodge. This cabinet was originated by a Boston lodge and after being placed with lodges in various parts of the state will return to its originators. A collation will be served and all members are urged to be present.

Change in Library Hours.

Beginning on Monday, October 22, the Memorial Hall Library will be open daily, except Sundays and legal holidays, for the delivery of books, from nine to half past twelve in the morning and from three in the afternoon consecutively till nine in the evening.

Andover Guild

There will be a meeting of the Girls' club at the Guild house, Thursday, Oct. 25th.

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ROLL CALL HELD.

One of the most largely attended roll calls for years was that held Tuesday at the Baptist vestry when more than two hundred assembled to partake of supper together and enjoy the evening's exercises.

From 6.30 to 7.30 o'clock a social hour was enjoyed when the members of the church had an opportunity to mingle together and renew old acquaintances as well as acquire new ones.

At 7.30 o'clock all took their places about the tables, and after the Doxology hod been sung, and blessing had been offered by Rev. R. B. Fisher, sat down to a well served repast of scalloped oysters, cold meats, rolls, coffee, pastry, fruit and other good things.

Supper over, the annual business was taken up, the pastor presiding. Deacon L. M. Nichols read the treasurer's report, which showed a satisfactory condition of affairs. Among the items mentioned in that report was that of almost $60 contributed to the San Franciscan sufferers after the earthquake.

Mrs. John Maguire gave a report of the work of the Cheerful Workers, showing excellent results accomplished for the year.

Mrs. L. O. Norris gave an interesting account of the activities of the Woman's Missionary society. The report from the Farther Lights society was given by Mrs Lewis A. Grass.

One of the most interesting reports was that of the Sunday School given by the superintendent, Theron P. Fisher. It showed a total membership of 282. This includes 56 in the primary department and 30 in the Home department and Cradle roll. The average attendance is large and remarkable interest shown by the scholars, teachers and officers.

Mrs. L. A. Grass gave a brief report of the Junior society. Frank Maguire read an encouraging report of the work of the Baptist Young Peoples' society.

George B. Bradbury, chairman of the committee on nominations, submitted the following list, which was unanimously adopted:

Clerk, Lorin O. Norris; treasurer, L. N. Nichols; deacons, L. O. Norris and L. M. Nichols; examining committee, pastor and deacons together with Miss Alma Griffin, Mrs. John Barker, Mrs. L. O. Norris, and Mrs. James Peirce.

Missionary committee: Pastor, Louis O. Norris, Mrs. Crippen, Mrs. Peirce, and Miss Albiana Howe.

Committee on Baptism: Henry P. Klemke, Charles Hutchins, Mrs. Will E. Clark, Mrs. George W. Barnes, Mrs. William Thomson, and Miss Julia Emerson.

Following the election Mrs. Moore of Andover rendered a very pleasing vocal selection, and then the roll call of the church was called by Clerk L. O. Morris.

Letters of regret at not being able to be present were read from Mrs. Selina Harris and Mrs. Alice A. Clark of York, Me. Rev. Mr. Fisher announced that he had received a letter from former pastor Rev. Nathan Bailey, stating that the press of other engagements prevented his attendance.

Rev. F. B. Greul of Haverhill was then introduced, and gave an interesting and forceful talk on the subject: "Evangelism, the Normal Work of the Church." At the conclusion of this address Rev. Mr. Fisher announced that a series of evangelistic services would be inaugurated at the church two weeks hence.

Mrs. Moore favored with another selection, and the exercises were brought to a close with benediction pronounced by Rev. Dr. Greul.

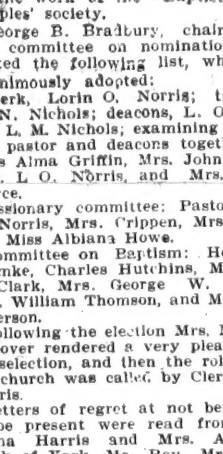
Those in charge of the supper included:

Mrs. George G. Frederick, Mrs. Lorin O. Norris, Mrs James Peirce, Mrs. James H Lyons, Mrs. Crippen, Mrs. Joseph D. Price, Theron D. Fisher and Charles Hutchins.

The residence of Miss Clara J. Macfarlane, 106 Oakland avenue, Methuen, was the scene of a pretty house party Tuesday evening at which time she entertained ten or twelve of her girl friends, employes of Emmons Loom Harness Co., where she was formerly employed.

The evening was spent in the playing of games and the singing of popular songs after which refreshments were served. Piano solos by Misses Lucy Chubb, Clara J. Macfarlane and Mollie Regan; vocal solos by Misses Belle Wright and Ellen Hubb. The hostess was assisted in serving by Misses Chubb and Hubb. The party broke up at a seasonable hour wishing Miss Macfarlane good health, and expressing their appreciation of the enjoyable evening they had spent at her home.

Those present were as follows. Mollie Regan, Minnie Hodge, Gladyse Herrick, Minnie Partlow, Minnie Hoppe, Alice Wagland, Nellie Foster, Belle Wright, Lucy Chubb Ellen Hubb and Clara Macfarlane.



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HUDSON LODGE VISITED LOCAL LODGE.

Thirty-six members of the Rebekah lodge of Hudson, N. H. made a trip to Methuen Wednesday to pay a fraternal visit to Minerva Rebekah lodge of this town They arrived in a special train about 8.30 o'clock, and were met by a committee from the local Rebekahs of which George B. Bradbury was the chairman.

When they arrived at the hall, and greatings were over they were permitted to enjov witnessing the conferring of the degree upon 23 candidates by the members of the local degree staff. The work was very nicely done.

After the degree work the company adjourned to the banquet hall where a supper was served by the local ladies. After the supper there were several speeches by the members of the visiting lodge. Mrs. Fred Woodbury the noble grand of the local lodge presided.

The visitors left in the special train shortly before midnight, after a delightfully spent evening.

CURRIER FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Benjie W. Currier was held Wednesday afternoon from the old family homestead on Currier street, and was attended by quite a number of friends, including many from North Andover where the deceased formerly lived. Rev. John L. Keedy of the North Andover Congregational church officiated at the services at the house and offered prayer at the grave.

Interment took place in Walnut Grove cemetery, The pall bearers were F. L. Currier, G. A. Smith, Frank Smith and Frank Currier.

The body reposed in a black broadcloth casket, silver trimmed, and the plate bore the inscription:

BENJIE W. CURRIER.
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There were many floral tributes from friends and relatives.

FOOTBALL GAMES.

The Methuens had an easy time defeating the Long Rovers in a game of association football, on the latter's grounds, Water street, Saturday afternoon. The game ended with the score of 6 to 0. The combination of the Methuen forwards was superb, every man playing his position like old veterans. Barnett Atkinson played a splendid game at centre half. Whitley excelled at goal. The Methuens played without Fletcher. William Briggs taking his place and played a most conspicuous game, playing all around Dawson the Long Rovers right half. Burube and Michaud were the stars of the game, with their handsome piece of combination. Whalley, J. Pangburn and Smith played the best for the losers. The following players lined up:

METHUEN.	LONG ROVERS.
Whitley g.	g Hughes
Littleson fb	fb Smith
W. Briggs fb	fb Ford
Skelton rh	rh Dawson
Atkinson ch	ch Whalley, capt
Darcy lh	lh J. Pangburn
Burube rw	rw S. O. Else
Michaud rw	rw A. N. Oother
Tart, capt, c	
Wm. Briggs lw	lw Collins
Jennings lw	lw T. Pangburn

Referee, McCastle of Lowell. Linesmen, Eddleston for Methuen, Long for Rovers. Goals scored by Tart 3, Jennings 2, Burube. Time 45 minute halves.

The Methuen Tigers defeated the Riversides on the Methuen playstead Saturday afternoon by a score of 5 to 0. The playing of Lynch and Rhodes for the losers was a feature. Delaney and McGillis excelled for the winners. The game was very close and exciting. The lineup:

TIGERS.	RIVERSIDES
Coughlin le	lt Chausse
Phair lt	lt Sheehan
Trembley lg	lg Reardon
Gillis c	c Hawes
Burns rg	rg Tobin
Wefers rt	rt Redpath
Carney re	re Lynch
Goodbout 2b	2b Astle
Delaney lh	lh Ellis
Blunel rh	rh Rhodes
Follard fb	fb Hynes

Referee, Milligan. Umpire, Harrison. Linesmen, Nicholson and Bennett.

YALE FRESHMEN SCORE ON VARSITY ELEVEN.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 18—The Yale varsity football team was yesterday afternoon again sent up against the speedy freshmen eleven.

The freshmen are doing almost as good work as the varsity, and they demonstrated that they can manipulate the forward pass much more successfully than the varsity can. The tussle between the varsity and the freshmen lasted for 20 minutes.

Soon after the practice started "Tad" Jones cleared the freshmen's right end for a 35-yard run and a touchdown. The freshmen were then given the ball on their 40-yard line. They started from this point, and by working the forward pass they carried the ball to the varsity's 10-yard line. Even on a forward pass from Coy to Logan the latter gained eight yards, and on the next play Coy scored, going through Brides and Gillis.

The coaches then gave the ball to the freshmen and allowed them to try straight rushing against the varsity in order to try the varsity's defence. In this work the youngsters also gained considerable ground.

Finally the ball was given to the varsity at the center of the field. By steady line plunges "Tad" Jones, Knox, Roome and Linn carried the ball up the field, and finally Knox was shoved over. Zimowski was next put in at fullback on the varsity and tried at drop kicking. He did not succeed in dropping a single goal over the heads of the speedy freshmen. This finished the work for the regulars.

The coaches were Walter Camp, Ralph Kinney, Frank Hinkey, Glass, Hoyt and Rockwell.

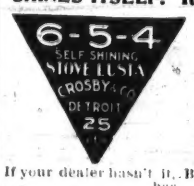
The report that Capt. Morse is in a serious condition and has had to go away for two weeks' rest was denied by the coaches. Capt. Morse has had some digestive trouble and has gone up to Simsbury, Conn., to get a change of air for two or three days. He played in the practice and it was not imperative that he should go away. His physician suggested a vacation for two or three days, and Morse took it.

Howard Roome and Howard Jones, who have been out of the practice for some time, both showed up very well yesterday afternoon. The lineup yesterday afternoon was as follows:

VARSITY.	FRESHMEN
H. Jones le	re Logan
Foster lt	rt Beinecke
Brides lg	rg Goebel
Gillis c	c Cooney
Hockenberger rg	lg Brown
Biglow rt	lt Andrews
Alcott re	le Platt
T. Jones qb	qb Moorehead
Knox lhb	rhb Wheaton
Linn rhb	lhb Murphy
Roome fb	fb Coy

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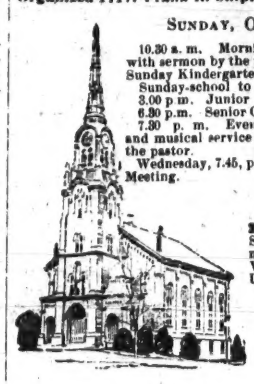


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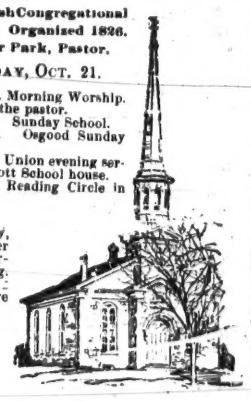
South Church Congregational Central St., Organized 1711. Frank R. Shipman, Pastor



SUNDAY, OCT. 21.

10.30 a. m. Morning worship, with sermon by the pastor Also, Sunday Kindergarten.
Sunday-school to follow.
3.00 p.m. Junior C. E.
6.30 p.m. Senior C. E.
7.30 p. m. Evening worship and musical service; address by the pastor.
Wednesday, 7.45, p.m. Midweek Meeting.
Thursday, 2.30 p.m Sewing meeting, Women's Union.

West Parish Congregational Church. Organized 1826. J. Edgar Park, Pastor.



SUNDAY, OCT. 21.

10.30 a. m. Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor.
11.45 a.m. Sunday School.
2.45 p. m. Osgood Sunday School.
7.00 p.m. Union evening service in Abbott School house.
Monday, Reading Circle in parsonage.
Wednesday, 7.45, Prayer and Conference meeting.
Saturday, West Centre Club.

St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic, Essex St. Organized 1850 Rev. Fr. McGowan, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 21.

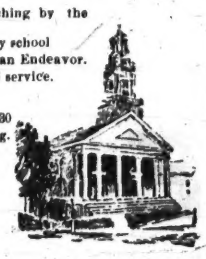


8.30 A. M. Mass and instruction, Sunday School following.
10 30 A. M. High Mass and sermon.
3.30 P. M. Vespers.
First Sunday of each month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.
Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for children.
Third Sunday of each month, Communion and Rosary and Arch Confraternity.

Baptist Church, cor. of Essex and Central Sts., Organized 1833. Rev. W. E. Lombard, Pastor.

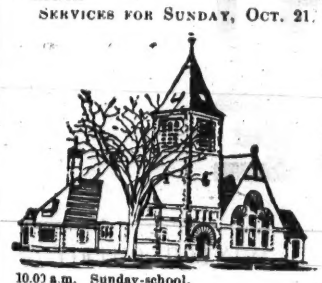
SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 21.

10.30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor.
11.45 a.m. Sunday school
6.30 p.m. Christian Endeavor.
7.15 p.m. Gospel service.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Prayer meeting.



Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street Organized 1858. Rev. Frederic Palmer Rector.

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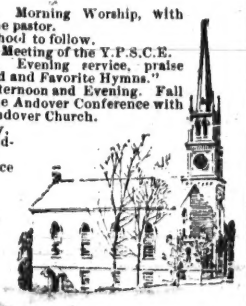


10.00 a.m. Sunday-school.
11.00 a. m. Morning Prayer, with sermon by the Rector.
7.30 p. m. Evening Prayer, with sermon by the Rector.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. Girls' Friendly Society

Free Church, Congregational, Railroad St. Organized 1846. Rev. Frederic A. Wilson, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 21.

10.30 a. m. Morning Worship, with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday-School to follow.
6.30 p. m. Meeting of the Y.P.S.C.E.
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SERVICES SUNDAY, OCT. 21

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11.45 a.m. Sunday-School.
5.15 p. m. Phillips Academy Vesper service.



THE BOHEMIAN.

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"What's the charge, officer?" asked the judge, when the prisoner was arraigned in court next morning.

"Speeding," answered the ex-bike cop unhesitatingly.

UNAPRECIATIVE.

When Blanche Ring visited Baltimore as the star of "Dolly Dollars," a few weeks ago, she called one morning, shortly before noon, at one of the public schools, to see an old classmate, a teacher of one of the primary grades, who had a class of very young scholars

During her stay the principal of the school, a man—a greybeard—dropped in and quizzed the class about arithmetic, answering queries from the pupils as well as putting them. The pupils didn't take any more interest in the examination than the very young mind usually does in problems mathematical. As the principal was about to leave he suddenly changed his mind and stopped to give the children a short talk on equations.

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ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A.M 7.48 arrive in Lowell, 8.31; 8.21 ar. 8.48; 9.22 ar. 10.34; 9.47 ar. 10.12; 11.08 ar. 11.48. P. M. — 12.36 ar. 1.05; 2.38 ar. 3.15; 3.34 ar. 4.02; 4.09 ar. 4.50; 5.56 ar. 6.24; 6.38 ar. 7.07; 7.14 ar. 7.45; 9.43 ar. 10.35. SUNDAY: A.M. 8.33 ar. 9.10; P. M. 12.24 ar. 1.00 2.53 ar. 3.23; 4.13 ar. 4.40; 6.08 arr. 6.35; 8.59 ar. 9.25.

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ANDOVER TO LAWRENCE. A.M. 6.53, 8.17, 9.04, 10.23, 11.15, 11.34. P. M. 12.38. 1.00, 3.00, 4.07, 4.37, 5.01, 5 37, 5.45, 6.23, 6.47, 7.28, 7.37, 8.52, 10.22, 12.07. SUNDAY, A. M. 8 56, 11.18. P.M. 12.44, 3.04, 4.18, 6.08, 6.43, 7.53, 9.22, 11.03.

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ANDOVER TO SALEM, MASS. A.M. 6.53Y, ar. 8.48; 7.48X ar. 8.40; P.M. 12.38Y ar. 1.57; 4.09 ar. 5.10; 5.48Y ar. 6.58.

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Don't feed the horses too freely with new oats; they are loosening and may cause colic. If you must use them mix with old oats and accustom the horses to them gradually.

Rye heads should be mixed with the horse's foods, if he is troubled with worms. Don't repeat this too often or the rye beards themselves will become a source of irritation. It is more of a test than a remedy.

See that the horse doesn't avoid whole grain. Should he do so his teeth need loking after. Have them filled. Many a horse fails to winter well on this account. While he can get grass to help out his other food he does very well, but in fall and witer, when fed solely on dry food, he often fails to get sufficient nourishment.

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KEEPING TAB ON THE WORLD

Ohio Prosecution Brings Standard Oil to Book Just as the Trust Issue Reaches White Heat In Congressional and State Campaigns. Taft Declares Amnesty to All Political Offenders In Cuba and Turns the Island Over to Magoon. Panama Canal Commission Adopts Contract Plan.

LEGAL-CRIMINAL

Oil Trust Before Jury.

At Findlay, O., the long anticipated legal strength test between the government and the Standard Oil company has been in progress, the trust being brought face to face with charges of conspiracy to restrain trade. John D. Rockefeller, as official head of the Standard Oil company, was not personally involved in this case, inasmuch as his attorneys had succeeded in obtaining a separate hearing for him. Should the case against the company stand, Mr. Rockefeller would then be compelled to defend himself against the same charges, which, if sustained, would subject him not only to fine, but imprisonment not exceeding six months. The jury selected for the trial included seven farmers, one grocer, one stock buyer and three oil producers or dealers. In his arraignments Prosecutor William L. David said the state would prove that the officers of the Standard had maintained and operated an unlawful trust or monopoly in the oil industry of the state, having gathered in about 90 per cent of the capital, skill and property engaged therein. Nine men, including John D. and William Rockefeller, Henry N. Flagler, H. H. Rogers and J. D. Archbold, had voted all the stock of this alleged trust up to 1892. They then organized nineteen companies, but all under their control, after the Ohio supreme court had found the trust to be monopolistic and against public policy. It was to get around this decision that the smaller companies were organized. The reply of the defendant made by Virgil P. Kline admitted the existence of the companies formed, but said that these were dissolved before the passing of the Valentine law.



William L. David.

As the case developed Judge Banker sustained the state's evidence on nearly every point. The testimony given by John D. Rockefeller in 1898 was admitted, and it was shown how all the subsidiary companies of the corporation had been financed, chartered and managed from the headquarters at 26 Broadway, New York. The annual report of each company had been filed by the same person from the Standard Oil headquarters. It was shown how one subsidiary company lost 5 cents on a barrel to benefit another.

Moyer-Haywood Case Up.

Arguments were heard before the United States supreme court in the cases of Charles H. Moyer, W. D. Haywood and George B. Pettibone, officers and members of the Western Federation of Miners, now in prison in Idaho charged with conspiracy to murder ex-Governor Steunenberg. The case came up on appeal on a decision of the Idaho federal court refusing writ of habeas corpus. Counsel for the appellants were Clarence S. Darrow, the noted Chicago labor advocate, and E. F. Richardson of Denver, while W. H. Hawley of Boise represented the state of Idaho. The chief controversy was over the method by which the Idaho authorities obtained jurisdiction over the accused men, it being alleged that they were kidnaped with the co-operation of the governor of Colorado and were denied their constitutional rights. This was stoutly denied by Hawley, who maintained that even if the charge were true the prisoners' remedy was action for damages.

Harry Orchard, whose alleged confession as the murderer of Steunenberg implicated Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, is now said to have become a maniac, and the impression prevails that without his testimony the federation officers cannot be convicted.

Seeing Auto Races Is Risky.

A decision handed down by the highest New York supreme court in the case of Mrs. Johnson, who was hurt in the Staten Island automobile races in 1902, is that any person who may be injured standing beside the road watching automobile races cannot recover damages for his hurt. The court holds that because such person is a spectator he would be guilty of contributory negligence. Mrs. Johnson had got a verdict of $5,000 from two lower courts, but this decision is reversed by the court of appeals.

Charges Against Mayor Johnson.

The Cleveland Electric Railway company has asked the court to enjoin upon the Forest City line from further interference with its own line on the ground that Mayor Johnson is financially interested in the Forest City company, otherwise known as the Three Cent Fare line, having procured its organization and obtained its franchise in violation of the law.

Lid on at Hot Springs.

When the City Improvement union of 500 men at Hot Springs organized and started one night last week headed by a brass band and forced the state, county and city officials to close the thirty gambling houses still in operation the end came to forty years of gambling in that famous resort. The gamblers who were caught were marched to the Union station, ordered to take the first train and never to come back. About 500 attaches of the various gambling houses left the city that night, and $500,000 worth of the gambling paraphernalia was boxed for shipment.

Ohio Defies Bridge Trust.

Five bridge companies, members of the bridge trust, surrendered their charters at Bellefontaine, O., Wednesday, as the result of the action taken by Attorney General Ellis. The other companies have quit the state.

Beef Trust Men Arrested.

Warrants were issued at Philadelphia for the arrest of the heads of the branch houses of Armour & Co. in that city on information made by State Dairy and Food Commissioner Warren, whose agents had found samples of hams adulterated with boric acid. The exposure is to be continued in all parts of the state.

Negroes Lynch Negro.

Anthony Davis, a negro hack driver of Texarkana, was lynched on Tuesday by a mob composed of negroes for attempting to assault a sixteen-year-old negro girl. He had been arrested and released on bail, when he was captured by the mob and taken to a suburb, where he was hanged.

LABOR

English Shipbuilding Strike.

To enforce the demand for a 5 per cent advance of wages on piece work and for 36 cents per week on time rates 12,000 men in the shipbuilding trades along the Clyde have gone on strike prepared for a long struggle. The Shipbuilders' association says that the prospects are worse than they have been at any time for many years past.

Canadian Strike Riots.

At Buckingham, Que., 300 striking employees of the MacLaren company's mills advanced on a body of nonunion men with whom the mill was about to be reopened. The police, who were protecting the strike breakers, gave answer to a shower of stones and sticks with a volley of revolver shots. President Belinger of the union and one other were killed and many were wounded on both sides. Troops were called out and order was restored.

General Electric Cuts Time.

The 9,000 employees of the General Electric company at Lynn, Mass., have been notified that they will be required to work only fifty-five hours per week and still have their Saturday half holiday the year round. There is no cut in the wages.

Toledo Strike Injunction.

United States Judge Tayler of Toledo granted a sweeping injunction against the members of the Machinists' association on strike against the Pope-Toledo company forbidding them from interfering in any way in the company's business or employees. The company claimed that the local authorities had refused to give proper protection from the strikers. The injunction forbids any sort of threat or persuasion to induce employees to quit the company's service and prohibits strikers congregating near the plant.

Big San Francisco Strike.

At San Francisco 1,500 mill men struck to enforce their demand for a dollar per day increase in wages, and as many more were idle in Oakland, where the strike began the preceding week. The mill owners have declared war on the union and will tie up all business operations before submitting to the demands.

EXECUTIVE

Denatured Alcohol Regulations.

The commissioner of internal revenue has issued regulations controlling the manufacture of denatured alcohol and its uses, pursuant to an act of congress which goes into effect Jan. 1, 1907. The commissioner says there will be two classes of alcohol—first, that which is completely denatured, which will pass into general use and be purchased without limitation as against private consumers, and, second, specially denatured alcohol, in which the material demanded by the needs of manufacturing interests will be regarded. Denatured alcohol will supplant a large consumption of wood alcohol, and the price, it is believed, will not be more than 35 cents per gallon. The denaturing process will have to be accomplished on the premises where the distilling is done in specially bonded warehouses designated.

To Dig Canal by Contract.

The isthmian canal commission has decided to call for bids to build the Panama canal by contract. The successful bidder will be required to take over all the work of construction, including any contracts that may have been made for the employment of Chinese labor.

The commission's principal reason for this change of plan is the labor problem, as it is believed that the private contractor will be less hampered by governmental red tape in solving it. Nevertheless the commissioners insist that the government will not relinquish its responsibility for the construction work. The contract will be made with one individual or corporation, which, however, may be composed of several subcontractors, each of whom will be expert in some particular branch of the work. The companies bidding must have a capitalization of $5,000,000 over all debts and incumbrances, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond of $3,000,000. The compensation to the contractor will be on the percentage plan, and to the lowest bidder the contract will be awarded, the total cost of the job being estimated by a board of engineers, two of whom will be appointed by the bidder and three by the government. The competition is not limited to American bidders. Chairman Shonts says that it would take many years for the government to get an adequate force of competent engineers and experts, because these men are now controlled by the leading contractors of the United States. Consequently it is a short cut to utilize the trained forces of the best construction companies.

Government Ownership of Mines.

After a conference with Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock President Roosevelt decided that there should be no further delay in the withdrawal from settlement all public lands classed as coal lands. By early action he hopes to prevent speculators and monopolistic corporations from getting further hold upon the nation's coal supply.

Why Funston Was Recalled.

The sudden recalling of Brigadier General Funston from Havana after it was supposed that he would command the first expedition of troops in Cuba is now understood to have been made at the suggestion of Secretary Taft because Funston was distasteful to the former Cuban rebels. Funston was an officer of the insurgents before the Spanish war, and the leaders of the recent insurrection recall how he deserted because he could not stand for the butcheries of prisoners of war. Brigadier General Bell will now have entire charge of the military occupation of the island under Governor Magoon.

FOREIGN

Liberals Against Labor Socialists.

The Scottish Liberal association, under the leadership of the Hon. Alexander Murray, has passed resolutions to the effect that "It is the primary duty of the Liberal party to oppose all candidates who do not disassociate themselves from the Socialistic party, the avowed object of which is the complete destruction of those principles of individual liberty for which Liberalism has always contended." Mr. Murray characterizes the Socialist members of the house as malignant wreckers. Meanwhile the Laborites are somewhat divided among themselves, as some wish to be identified with the Liberal government, while others seek only the increase of the Socialist representation.

Women as Magistrates.

Mlle. Brustlein, the daughter of a Swiss deputy, who is trained in the law, has begun service on the magistrate's bench in Zurich, sitting with several male colleagues. This is the first time that a woman has served as judge in Switzerland.

Biggest Battleship the Fastest.

The new British battleship Dreadnought has undergone her final official trial and is proved to have a maximum speed of 22.4 knots, thus making her the fastest battleship. This performance is regarded as a great triumph for the turbine engine, with which the Dreadnought is fitted.

Cuba In Magoon's Hands.

Charles E. Magoon, the new governor of Cuba, arrived at Havana, accompanied by Brigadier General Bell and the wives of Secretary Taft and Assistant Secretary Bacon. As their steamer moved into the harbor the battleship Texas followed, with guns booming forth a salute to the new governor and those from Cabanas fort replying. For the time being Governor Magoon took up his residence with Minister Morgan, as he did not enter upon his high office until Messrs. Taft and Bacon sailed for home, Oct. 13.

Governor Taft issued an order, which virtually renewed the pledge of the American executive, that the military occupation of the island will be only temporary. The officers of the marines were notified that they need not take part in the suppression of disorder unless an extreme emergency arises for the protection of life and property.

Governor Taft also proclaimed amnesty to all persons who had committed offense during the recent insurrection. Any person found with arms or disturbing the public order hereafter will be proceeded against under normal conditions. It is further decreed that each insurgent is entitled to the horse he was riding Sept. 1 and that the former owner will be indemnified by the government. The work of disarming insurgents has been completed. Very little if any damage was done to crops during the insurrection. The Moderates and Liberals are now fraternizing, and ex-President Palma is criticised on both sides for his secret request for intervention.

Chamberlain Blind and Dumb.

The report is current in London that former Colonial Secretary Chamberlain is near the point of death from a stroke of paralysis and that he is unable to walk, speak or see. This stroke came about three months ago, but it was not known at the time how serious it was. It is thought that he never fully recovered from the disappointment caused by the defeat of his tariff campaign.

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JUDGE SHERMAN PRESIDES OVER CIVIL COURT SESSION.

A seven weeks' session of the superior civil court, with juries, opened in this city Monday morning, Judge Edgar J. Sherman presiding. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. H. Ryder of the Garden street church.

There are nearly 300 cases for trial.

Following is a list of the jurors: Allen F. Abbott, Andover, carpenter; Charles S. Ayers, Haverhill carpenter; Willie H. Bates, Haverhill, shoe cutter; Albert H. Blake, Lynn, shoemaker; William H. Blodgett, Lynn, salesman; Samuel J. Bond, Lynn, stock fitter; Frank H. Bray Salem, bookkeeper; Fred W. Bushby, Peabody, clerk; Paul Depew, Haverhill, manager lunch room; Edward Dufresne, Lawrence, operative; Edward M. Egell, Salem, mason; Laurens C. Emery, Newburyport proprietor variety store; Thomas P. Flynn, Danvers, section hand; John Hannigan, Lawrence, operative; James H. Hennessey, Salem, druggist; John Howley, Lawrence, laborer; William H. Knowles North Andover, wool sorter; Charles J. McCole, Lynn, shoemaker; Alexander McKenzie, Lynn, shoemaker; Richmond F. Marden, Marblehead, dry goods dealer; Charles F. Newman, Gloucester, laborer; James W. Nichols, Salem janitor; William F. Norris, Lawrence, blacksmith; Elbridge Norwood, Beverly, insurance agent; Rendall G. Pinkham, Gloucester, laborer; James Reed, Lynn, coal dealer; Varnum B. Richardson, Methuen, farmer; Daniel F. Sheehan, Lawrence, presser; Richard R. Sorenson, Merrimac, carriage body maker; Willard H. Stocker, Saugus, clerk; Frank D. Thurston, Swampscott, fisherman.

Charles H. Brackett of Lynn and Fred G. Geisler of Lawrence who were drawn as jurors, were excused from serving.

PROBATE COURT AT SALEM.

At the session of probate court in Salem Monday, Judge Harmon presiding, the following wills were proved:

Jonathan Bryant Lynnfield, John M. Danforth, executor; Mary E. Deguio of Amesbury, William H. E. Taylor, executor; Annie Dunnells, Lawrence, estate in charge of trustees; William S. Gray, Danvers, estate in charge of trustees; Michael W. Quinn, Amesbury, Frederick Quinn, executor.

The administrations granted were: Estates of Albert L. Grimes, Essex, Spurgeon A. Grimes, administrator; Henry S. Hall, Haverhill, George R. Buttrick and Julia A. Hall, administrators; Harriet S. Jones, Rockport, John R. Jones, administrator; William D. Kain, Amesbury Annie M. Carto administratrix; Edward Kelley of Danvers, Margaret T. Kelley, administratrix; Sarah J. Kelley, Lawrence, Isaac Kelley administrator; Maria A. Martin, Gloucester, Manuel P. Kelley, administrator; Maggie J. Ross, Lynn, Edward D. Ross, administrator; Joseph M. Stubbs, Lawrence, Herbert K. Stubbs, administrator.

Inventories were filed on the estates of: Julia H. West, Haverhill, $21,965.30; Edward M. Brown Pueblo, Col., $1874.65; James H. Gartside, Peabody, $1837.67; Andrew J. Hodgdon, Haverhill, $1874.70; John Lynch, Salem, $1366.63; Lydia W. Nichols, Haverhill, $5000; Nathaniel P. Sanborn, Manchester, $5549.34; William H. Savary, Groveland, $3500; Hannah Sheehan, West Newbury, $345.52; Adelaide Story, Essex, $4087.90; Aaron W. Warren, Danvers, $1050; Hannah P. Warren, Danvers, $18,430.20.

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"What are you doing that for Tommy?" the actor asked. "That's no way to eat a sandwich. Why don't you eat it all if you want it, and not pick at it like that?"

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"Taint mine."—Harper's Weekly.

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The New Building on Main Street.

Of all the monstrous piles of brick and mortar ever put together by mortal man, the building at the corner of Main and Chestnut streets is the most monstrous. Planted in the mud, way below the level of either street bordering upon it, it looks as if it would sink away into the mire. Built of common bricks and mortar, it is a disgrace to the town, and, if any more such structures are to be erected, a law should be passed at once assessing damages for the benefit of the community. It might, of course, have been improved somewhat if another story had been added, and a timely suggestion would seem to be for a vote at the next town meeting compelling all builders upon Main street to erect three-story buildings whether they need the room or not.

When one thinks of the many beautiful business blocks in Andover, it really arouses great anger that anyone should build of any material other than marble and bronze. And then it ought to have been put on a level with Chestnut street, and had the necessary steps to reach the Main street floors, no matter if it would have required five or six risers. Such an arrangement works well at some churches, and we fail to see why it wouldn't be right in a business block. If they are to put different windows in the front, why don't they start about it? There is very good reason for believing that they will be left just as they are, and they really look quite appropriate. We know nothing about the inside arrangements, but if the same kind of blundering that is seen by every observing citizen on the outside has followed the inside arrangements, there will be very little satisfaction come to anybody from its construction.

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The full description of this building, and the conveniences it will provide, with a cut showing its location, etc., will be published in this column about November 16, *after it is finished.*

Editorial Cinders.

What a grand school it is at Phillips this year! And what a grand school it is at Abbot this year! Undoubtedly a great contributing factor is the unparallelled prosperity of the Nation, but the greatest aids are the schools themselves. Splendid equipments are constantly being made more complete, and through faculties that are ever growing stronger, and alumni that steadily increases in loyalty and service, these two schools are going ahead along lines that assure a future even fuller of achievement than their past. The town is proud of them and rejoices that they are having their "biggest" years in all the best senses of that word.

We know something of the difficulties attendant to tearing out and constructing new buildings, and attention is called to the conditions at the railroad station with this knowledge fresh in mind. The public must expect to suffer considerable inconvenience in connection with the work going on there, but it does look as if the officials were not doing all that they might to relieve the situation. The greatest inconvenience comes to those who alight from Boston trains. The only exit is through the station and from there across a board walk to the street. With the crowding carriages and rush at the trains in the afternoon, there is what looks like unnecessary discomfort. It looks to the outsider as if a footpath might be constructed on the outside of the station at the south end, that would greatly relieve the present congestion.

It has been many years since there was so little interest in an election as is apparent this year. Curiosity seems to call people out to see and hear some of the political talkers, but so far as general discussion is concerned, there is an ominous quiet.

Weather Record.

Temperature taken in the morning between 5 and 7 o'clock and at noon between 12 and 1 o'clock.

1905	Morn.	Noon.		1906	Morn.	Noon.
Oct.	12	56	54	Oct.	12	30 50
"	13	33	54	"	13	27 54
"	14	46	62	"	14	26 60
"	15	36	72	"	15	34 63
"	16	54	74	"	16	40 63
"	17	42	60	"	17	44 52
"	18	36	70	"	18	44 60

CALENDAR SOCIAL.

The Courteous Circle of King's Daughters Prepare Excellent Repast--Decorations Beautiful.

One of the prettiest and most enjoyable socials in the list of excellent ones which have been held in the South Church occured last evening, under the auspices of the Courteous Circle of King's Daughters. It was called a calendar social, and consisted of a fine supper served from tables elaborately decorated for the occasion, followed by a short entertainment.

Each table represented a different month of the year and the trimmings easily carried out the suggestions. To say which was the most appropriate or most beautifully arranged would be a difficult task, as each vied with the other for the honors. It would certainly take a long time to decide which deserved first prize. Each of the guests received a favor appropriate to the month represented.

The first table to catch the eye was that representing August. It was presided over by Miss Sarah Blunt as matron, and the waitresses were Miss Charlotte Baker and Miss Evelyn Hardy. The favors were butterflies. The next table, October, was prettily trimmed with pumpkins, and pumpkins filled with peanuts were the favors. Mrs. W. H. Phelps was the matron, and Misses Helena Lindsay and M. Winnie Burtt were waitresses.

November was the next table in line, and each of the guests received a large ear of red corn and a wishbone. Mrs. Frank Foster was the matron and was assisted by Misses Minnie Brown and Florence Abbott. The Christmas table came next and was the head table. Dainty bunches of holly and Christmas stockings filled with candy made appropriate favors, and the decorations were excellent. Mrs. J. W. Barnard was the matron and the waitresses were Misses Helen White and Miss Abbott.

Miss O. W. Neal was matron at the September table, where pretty birch-bark jardineres filled with ferns and partridge vines were the favors. Mrs. Katherine L. Eaton and Miss Mabel Jones were the waitresses. The May table was decorated with maypoles and May baskets were the favors. Miss Hattie Erving had charge and was assisted by Misses Fannie and Eva Erving and Allen F. Marsh.

April was decorated with tulips and these were also the favors. Miss Caroline Dean acted as matron, and the waiters were Misses Louise Hardy and Marion Holt and Percy Holt. The favors at the Fourth of July table were Liberty Bells. Mrs. Walter H. Coleman was the matron and Misses Ethel and Annie Coleman were the assistants.

Appropriate to the month, roses were the favors for the June table. Mrs. F. H. Foster was the matron and was assisted by Miss Alice Holt and F. H. Foster.

The march table was presided over by Mrs. Frederick G. Moore, who was assisted by Misses Ada Hall, Ethel West and Mr. Moore. The favors were poems from the famous Irish poet, Thomas Moore.

January was prettily represented with snowflakes, and an ice pond with two skaters were on the middle of the table. Miss Ellen G. Ellis was the matron and the waitresses were Misses Sallie Pratt and Madeleine Hewes. On the February table, red hearts and heart-shaped boxes of candy were the favors, and Mrs. S. H. Bailey was the matron. The assistants were Misses Eleanor Holt, Helen Bailey and S. H. Bailey.

After the supper a short entertainment was given, consisting of short addresses and musical selections. The program was as follows:

Greeting,	Rev. W. E. Lombard
Violin solo,	Miss Eleanor Holt
Irish Song, "Come Back to Erin,"	Mrs. F. G. Moore
Reading,	Miss Hattie Erving
Song, "Roses."	Miss Alice Holt
Finale,	Mrs. T. Frank Pratt

Mrs. Pratt had direct charge of the arrangements and to her belongs a great deal of the credit for great success of the evening.

Operetta in Town Hall

The entertainment, under the auspices of the local Y. M. C. A., to be given at the Town hall, Thursday evening, Nov. 1, by the Cecilia Operetta Co. of Boston, will be first class in every respect and one that the citizens of Andover will appreciate. Mr. McHaffney, Boston's Y. M. C. A. secretary said, "It is the best entertainment we ever had on our stage." Such an endorsement as to its merits is sufficient, and it is hoped the strangers will be welcomed by a full house.

The program will be as follows:

PART I

1. Quartet, "Tally ho!" — Luders
 The Company
2. Solo, "I hid my love" — D'Hardelot
 Mr. Osgood
3. Duet, "Miserere" from Il Trovatore, Verdi
 Mrs. Woods and Mr. Hall
4. Solo, "Lovely Summer" — Dell' Acqua
 Mrs. Hollis
5. Solo, "Thine" — Bohen
 Mr. Hall
6. Solo, "Love's Shadows" — Scott
 Mrs. Woods
7. Trio, "Waves of the Sea" — Anderton
 Mrs Hollis, Mrs. Woods and Mr. Hall

Intermission

PART II

"The Sleeping Queen"

Standard operetta in one act; words by H. B. Farnie, music by M. W. Balfe.

Cast of characters: Maria Dolores, Queen of Leon, Mrs. Hollis; Dona Agnes, a maid of honor, Mrs. Woods; Philippe D'Aguilar, a young exile, Mr. Hall; His Excellency, the Regent, Mr. Osgood.

Musical synopsis: Aria, "The Prime Minister" [I'm the Regent]; duet, "I Crave a Boon;" trio, "She is Heartless;" ballard, "Only a Ribbon;" duet, "The Treaty;" serenade, "The Rose;" ballard, "With you, dear;" trio, "Most Awful Sight;" quartet, "Fondly I Dreamed."

A Birthday Surprise

Miss Ethel West was very pleasantly surprised at her home on Florence street Monday evening, it being her birthday. There were 23 in the party which made an attack on her home about eight o'clock and when she answered the door bell she was greeted by a loud "Surprise."

The visitors were then invited into the parlor and after everyone had been seated, Gayton Abbott, in behalf of the assembly, presented Miss West with a beautiful gold bracelet.

She thanked her friends for their thoughtfulness in remembering her.

The evening was then very pleasantly spent in playing games and singing. A pretty and exquisite birthday cake was divided and other refreshments were served.

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Benjamin C. Lovejoy, a resident of West Parish and a veteran of the civil war, was in the Lawrence police court, Wednesday morning on a warrant charging him with failing to support his wife. Both are old people and the wife testified that they have not lived together for 11 years. The couple were married in 1867 and have had nine children, six of whom are living. The wife said that she made her home with her oldest and youngest sons in Lawrence and that her husband was living with another woman in West Andover. She added that he had given her nothing towards her support, nor had he done anything to support his children. Lovejoy went on the stand and testified that he gave his eldest son, for the use of his wife, about $50 in the past two years. He stated that he lived with a "war widow," who boarded him for six dollars a month, the pension he receives from the government. He said that when he first went to live with the "war widow" he ran a poultry farm. He admitted working during the last two weeks for Joseph Lovejoy on his farm in West Andover, but said that he had done but little else beyond a day's work once in a while.

The complainant was represented by Attorney A. X. Dooley. The court found him guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of $20, the fine if paid to be paid to a Probation Office for the benefit of Lovejoy's wife.

Books on Thomas Carlyle.

In connection with the lecture on Thomas Carlyle by Prof. Griggs on October 25th, the following books have been placed for consultation in the reading room of the Memorial Hall Library.

Birrell. Obiter dicta, vol. 1, page 1. 824 B53 o

Carlyle, J. B. W. Letters and memorials; edited by J. A. Froude. 2v. 92 C195

Carlyle, J. B. W. New letters and memorials. 2v. 92 C195n

Carlyle, Thomas. Reminiscences; edited by J. A. Froude. 920 C19

Carlyle, Thomas. Letters; ed. by C. E. Norton. 2v. 92 C19

Carlyle, Thomas, and Emerson, R. W. Correspondence. 2v. 928 C19e

Froude. Thomas Carlyle. 2v. 92 C187f

Griswold. Home life of great authors, page 142. 928 G88

Guernsey. Thomas Carlyle; his life, his works, his theories. 92 C197g

Harrison. Choice of books, p. 175. 824 H24

Masson. Carlyle, personally and in his writings. 92 C197m

Morley. Critical miscellanies, vol. 1, page 157. 824 M82

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters, Oct. 15, 1906.

Braun, E. R.	La Roche, Hannah
Clarke, Cora H.	Logan, A.
Collier, M. H.	Mahoney, Minnie
Croft, Mrs. May	Mears, U.
Cunningham, Parker H.	Paul, W. L.
Davidson, Mrs. W. P.	Taylor, Harold S.
Davidson, W. R.	T. E. M. Mr.
Daylon, S. A.	Thompson, W. D.
Dallmeyer, H. J.	Velie, Mrs. T. A.
Dewey, Mrs. A. N.	Wallace, Wm. L.
Eldridge, E. J.	Wallace, J. B.
Ferguson, F. P.	Wilmorth, Mrs. E. J. [2]
Fisk, Prof. Henry A.	Willis, Mrs. A. [2]
Frost, Geo. F.	Wood, J. N.
Frost, Mrs. Geo. F.	Ayer, Mrs. F. W. [2]
Gould, Mrs. Jas. A.	Bartholomew, A. Y.
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The Andover Boys' Club

Our work during the month of October will be rather of an experimental nature as there has been a desire expressed for some work in English and it has not been fully decided how to handle the school to obtain the best results. As the work of this club has been an oft told tale, we desire hereafter to speak of the four sides of the Guild work, and while thanking the many friends for their interest in the Boys' work and their words of appreciation in the past, we would bespeak the same interest and helpful enthusiasm in the new corner of this paper, *The Andover Guild.*

The Girls' club will report on its work the first week in each month, the Boys' club the second week, the Kitchen Garden and the Sewing School the third week, and the Relief Work and Stamp Saving the last week. In case any of the readers care to follow the advice so kindly given in last week's *Townsman* by the editor, we give hours for each Department of the Guild.

Miss Anna B. Abbott, superintendent, may be found at the Guild house from 10 to 12 a.m. daily except Fridays.

Mrs. Fred Andrews, in charge of the clothing and all relief work, from 4 to 5 p.m. except Mondays and Saturdays.

Miss L. Jeannette Smith, matron of the Girls' work, from 8.30 to 10.30 a.m. Saturdays.

Mr. Jenkins, janitor, 7.30 to 9.00 a. m. and 7.00 to 7.30 p.m. daily.

Miss Anne P. Hincks has charge of the Girls' club work; meetings Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 8.00.

Miss Anna B. Abbott has charge of the Boys' club work; meetings Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7.30.

Miss Sarah P. Blunt has charge of the Sewing School, Saturdays at 10.00.

Miss Lydia H. Blood has charge of the Kitchen Garden, Saturdays at 9.30.

Basketball at Punchard.

A basketball team picked from the girls of the Senior and Sophomore classes at Punchard defeated a team picked from the Junior and Freshmen classes on the school grounds Wednesday afternoon, by the score of 6 to 2.

The game was interesting from start to finish, although somewhat one-sided. Instructor Charles L. Barton acted as referee and umpire. The line-up:

1907-9	1908-10
Miss Coleman, f	b, Miss Erving
Miss Ralph, f	b, Miss Coyne
Miss Prouty, c	c, Miss Temple
Miss Bailey, b	f, Miss O'Sullivan
Miss Corthell, b	f, Miss Howell

Death.

In Francistown, N. H., Oct. 1st., Nathan Chandler aged 77 years, 6 months, brother of the late Holbrook Chandler.

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Obituary.

WILLIAM ELLIOT BARROWS DUMMER.

Many people who remember Prof. E. P. Barrows and his happy family of sons and daughters, will be pained to hear of the sorrow which has come to one of them thro' the death of her oldest child. William Elliot Barrows Dummer was the child of Sarah Barrows and Edward Dummer. He was born in 1880 and lived his short life of twenty-six years in Auburndale, where he won many friends by his kindly, sympathetic ways and his singularly pure and honorable character. He was much esteemed by his employers in the Welsbach Co., with which he was connected for five years. He had always been very strong and athletic so that his yielding to disease was a great shock to his friends. He was ill about four months, suffering from Endocanditis, produced by rheumatic fever. He bore his sufferings with wonderful patience and courage, always looking forward to the time when he should be better rather than worse. But it was not to be and he left this world on the evening of Labor Day. He was buried quietly at Lowell with only his family around him.

One who knew him well said of him, "if the pure in heart shall see God, surely Elliot has seen him."

Award of Draper Scholarship.

The late Warren F. Draper gave to the Punchard Free School $1000, the income of which was to be awarded by the visiting committee to a graduate of the school pursuing a course at some institution of higher learning. The recipient must possess a record for both satisfactory deportment and high scholarly standing. This award has just been made to Miss Alice G. Kendall who is taking a four years' course at Simmons College. The committee could not regard the taking of partial courses as qualifying an applicant for the scholarship. It is a satisfaction that when the scholarship is awarded now for the first time, the recipient has so clear a title to it in the rank hitherto attained and in the course to be pursued.

SIR CHENTUNG'S MOTHER DEAD.

The Chinese legation in Washington will be in mourning for 100 days because of the death in China of the mother of Sir Chentung Liang Cheng, minister to the United States, who is a graduate of Phillips Andover academy.

Chinese customs require that the period during which a son shall mourn his mother is three years. Under ordinary circumstances, Chinese who are in the diplomatic service are compelled to give up their posts when a parent dies and go into mourning for the prescribed time but in this case an imperial decree was issued waiving the full period of mourning and authorizing Sir Chentung Liang Cheng to continue in his post and resume his duties after 100 days.

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An Abbot-Holt Descendant of Andover.

I find on my desk a newspaper cutting of the death, several weeks ago, in Norway, Maine, of Miss Sarah Abbot Holt, aged ninety years. A few readers of the Townsman may be interested to know of this last of the family of an honored son of Andover in the long-ago time. Her father was Uriah Holt, born in 1775, who went with his brother Stephen to the new township of Oxford in the then Wilderness of Maine in 1794, their parents, Jacob and Rhoda (Abbot) Holt, following them the next year. In 1796 at twenty-one years of age, Uriah returned to take a year in Phillips Academy, and became a famous and useful surveyor in the "District of Maine." He was for many years the trusted agent of Judge Phillips, founder of the Academy, and afterwards of "Squire Farrar," in surveying and selling Phillips Academy lands in Maine, an office which he held until he was seventy-three years of age.

Another of the eleven children of Uriah was Stephen Abbot Holt, educated for the ministry, but who spent most of his life in Winchester as a well-known business man, dying there in 1895. Miss Holt lived with him for some years, and later in Salem. She held a vivid recollection of the traditions of Andover, learned from her parents (her mother being Hannah Farnum), and in her letters used to inquire for persons of whom she had heard or whom she had met—one, I remember, being Mr. T. A. Holt. At one time she mentioned a distinct memory of her childhood — her father returning from Andover with a volume of tracts — containing Hannah More's "Shepherd of Salisbury Plain" and "All for the Best", printed by the "Tract Society" at the old printing-house on the Hill, afterward Dea. Abbott's store. That was the beginning of the American Tract Society.

C. C. C.

Archaeology Notes.

Thursday, the Department at Phillips Academy received an interesting Indian skull from Jamestown, R. I. The cranium is that of a New England Indian and its fine preservation is due to the fact that it was buried in gravel. Very few perfect skulls of New England Indians are in existence and the specimen is quite rare.

The head is unusually long, quite narrow between the temples, the forehead abnormally low. While this is true, the dome, base, and sides of the skull are symmetrical. Although the subject appears to have been forty or fifty years of age, the teeth are remarkably well preserved and sound. Not one is missing. This peculiarity of perfect teeth is noted in all American aborigines of ancient times. In this respect the Indians were more fortunate than white persons. It is exceedingly rare to find any decayed teeth among them.

The skull can be taken as typical of the Narragansetts, Pequods, or other New England tribes. It forms a valuable addition to the museum. It was presented by Mr. Ferdinand Ambrust of Jamestown, R. I.

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Phillips Academy Notes

The preliminary catalogue for the year, which is now in the hands of the printers and which will be issued within the next few days, shows a total enrollment to date of 467 men, an increase of twelve over the number contained in last year's preliminary list, which was published one month later. Of these, 201 men are in the Classical Department and 266 in the Scientific Department.

The number of old men is 195, and of the newcomers, 272. The total enrollment has been equalled only once before in the school's history while the number of new students is considerably larger than ever before.

The representation by countries and states is as follows:

Massachusetts, 124; New York, 103; Pennsylvania, 28; Illinois, 23; New Jersey, 23; Ohio, 19; Connecticut, 18; Washington, 15; Maine, 11; Minnesota, 10; California, 9; Rhode Island, 8; Michigan, 7; District of Columbia, 6; Kentucky, 5; Montana, 5; New Hampshire, 5; Vermont, 5; Colorado, 4; Iowa, 4; Missouri, 4; Indiana, 3; Kansas, 3; Utah, 3; Wisconsin, 2; Florida, 1; Georgia, 1; Indian Territory, 1; Maryland, 1; Nebraska, 1; South Dakota, 1; Tennessee, 1; China, 6; Canada, 3; Cuba, 3; Costa Rica, 1; Porto Rico, 1.

It is especially interesting to note the comparatively heavy representation of the more distant states, there being twenty-eight men from Washington, California and Montana. In this connection it may be well to state that Exeter had an enrollment of four hundred men, at last reports.

Owing to the critical condition of George Hinman of the faculty, who was dangerously injured by being hit by an automobile last week, some readjustment has been necessary in the arrangement of classes. Mr. Gilman of the faculty will take charge of Mr. Hinman's classes in German, while Mr. Favour of the Theological Seminary, a graduate of Dartmouth College, will conduct the classes in Greek and Roman history. While Mr. Hinman's condition has shown steady improvement during the last few days, his complete recovery cannot be expected for many weeks.

The Phillipian Board has recently adopted a new constitution of no little significance. By the provision of this constitution 30% of the net profits derived from the paper will be turned over to the trustees of the Academy, to be used in purchasing new books for the library.

The "*Phillips Bulletin*," formerly published as the "*Alumni Phillipian*," has just come from the press and will be mailed this week to all alumni whose addresses are known. The *Bulletin* contains a brief survey of the work of the last school year and reviews in detail the records of the various branches of the school's activities. Full information is given of the results of last year's campaign for increasing the funds of the Academy and the speeches delivered at the Commencement dinner in June are reported in full.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Academy held in Boston last Tuesday, Mr. Sidney Peet was appointed athletic trainer in the school. For many years Mr. Peet has filled such a position, his services being retained by the various undergraduate athletic organizations. Mr. Peet's appointment by the trustees is a fitting recognition of his long and valuable service to the school, and indicates too the growing importance attaching to work of the kind Mr. Peet has been doing. In addition to looking after the condition of the men on the various athletic teams, Mr. Peet will assist Dr. Page in the work of the Physical Department, both in the gymnasium and in the out-of-door work of the fall and spring.

ABBOTT VILLAGE.

Miss Maggie Wood visited friends in the village on Sunday. She is from Roxbury.

William Steele of Jamaica Plain spent Sunday with John McDonald on Essex street.

The famous mare owned by John Anderson of Cuba street dropped dead at Abbot's bridge on Sunday.

John Selby of Graniteville spent Sunday with his brother-in-law, Arthur Anderson, on Red Spring road.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kydd spent Sunday in Chelsea, at the the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. George Freeman.

Matthew Smith, Riverdale's genial president, and a few friends from Brighton spent Sunday visiting friends in the village.

A large number interested in music went Sunday and heard the famous Black Dyke Brass Band from Yorkshire, England.

Alexander Ramsay and William McKinnon of East Boston spent Sunday at the home of the former's brother on Lowell road.

David Anderson, for seven months a resident in Winnepeg, Manitoba, has returned and taken up his home with his brother on Essex street.

Mr. and Mrs. Stirling of Cuba street spent Sunday as the guest of Charles Dallas, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robertson of Beverly Cove.

Marshal Walker of the sorting department of the Smith & Dove mills, accompanied by David Young of Valpey's provision store, spent Sunday with friends in Manchester, N. H.

James Craik, the village champion, was one of those who competed with Charles F. Barker, the American champion, in the checker contest and was able to draw with him in Lawrence last Tuesday night. Mr. Craik kept the champion at bay during the entire game and was complimented by him on his clever playing.

SUBSTITUTE FOR HORSEHAIR.

The British Consul-General in Algeria reports the production of vegetable hair from a dwarf palm. This plant was once considered worthless, but is now found to contain most useful and long sought fibre. It is an excellent substitute for horsehair wherever that is used and is much cheaper. It is recommended for introduction extensively into this country.

TRAVELS THROUGH SCOTLAND

Superintendent Palmer Gives Another Interesting Account of His Visit Abroad.

I went from Arbroath to Blairgowrie by way of Forfar. My route lay through Strathmore, or the Great Valley, a beautiful region in Forfarshire from six to eight miles wide between the Grampians and the Sidlaw Hills, both of which ranges furnish picturesque backgrounds for the landscape. The country is gently undulating, and presents a panorama of groves and sparkling streams, pretty villages, manorial residences, humble cottages, and farms in the highest state of cultivation.

On one of the foothills in silhouette against the sky is a monument to the Earl of Airlie, who left his fine estate in this land of peace to lose his life in England's disastrous struggle against the Boers. One is impressed with the severity of this conflict by the monuments erected all over the island of Great Britain to the memory of the long rolls of men who died in South Africa.

In one of the most beautiful situations in the valley stands Glamis Castle, the seat of the Earl of Strathmore. It is one of the most imposing of the feudal strongholds in Scotland and was frequently used as a residence by the early Scottish kings. As I gazed on its hoary walls unbidden there came to my mind the line from Shakespeare, where Lady Macbeth is attempting to fire the ambition of her weaker lord and nerve him to take the life of Duncan.

"Glamis thou art and Cawdor and shalt be what thou art promised."

It was not here, but in a castle near Inverness, that the "gracious Duncan" was murdered. Here however Malcolm II lost his life at the hands of assassins and in front of the manse at Glamis stands a curiously sculptured obelisk known as King Malcolm's Gravestone, where tradition says he lies buried.

A short distance south of Alyth Junction is the estate of Campbell-Bannerman, the present Prime Minister.

At Coupar-Angus I changed to a branch line for Blairgowrie. All through this immediate section raspberries seem to constitute the principal crop. There were hundreds of acres of them, thrifty looking and laden with fruit, for it was the height of the picking season. The berries, I was told, bring about £25 a ton in the market.

Blairgowrie is a place of about four thousand inhabitants, and is one of the many attractive Perthshire summer resorts. At the time of my visit it was "fair week" and the ample square near the station was filled with booths and swings and merry-go-rounds. The people were orderly and took their amusements rather seriously, I thought. At the back of the town flows Ericht Water and on the opposite bank and connected with it by a bridge is Old Rattray. The Ericht is formed by two streams, the Ardle, and another flowing our of the wild and lonely Pass of Glenshee. The Bridge of Cally at the head of Glen Ericht is a favorite resort for excursionists and picnickers.

On a perpendicular rock 250 feet above the bed of the river stands Craighall, the seat of Lieutenant General Sir James Rattray, a veteran of the Crimean War. Craighall is the subject of many romantic stories. It was visited by Sir Walter Scott in 1793 and is the prototype of "Tullyveolan" in Waverley. This whole section is quite picturesque. I have delightful recollections of a walk I had one evening after tea with a gentleman who had for many years resided in one of the great capitals of Europe as the representative of the *London Times* and who had come back to spend a summer holiday at the old home in the glen. It was a steep climb, across the old bridge that spans the gorge, over the Heughs of Mause, a great ridge topped by farms but with slopes wooded to the river's edge. From the summit there is a fine view of the Sidlaw Hills, Craighall and the Ericht murmuring below. Our way back was along the brink of the chasm, and as the shadows deepened in the glen soft strains of music wafted across from the lordly mansion on the hill, added to the witchery of the hour and place.

The residences of the well-to-do people of Scotland as well as the cottages of those who are but sparingly provided with the comforts of life, have a very attractive home-like look to the wanderer in a strange land. Built of light-colored stone, their walls covered to the eaves with roses and flowering vines, surrounded by smoothly-shaven lawns and a profusion of flowers and shrubs, and enclosed by well-trimmed hawthorne or holly hedges they look very pretty and comfortable. Into one of these homes in the little village of Woodside, two miles from Coupar-Angus, a letter from friends across the sea was an open sesame. With Mr. William Rogers I visited his mill at the latter place. He is engaged in the manufacture of tarpaulin, sail cloth and bagging from flax, hemp and jute.

With him and his pleasant family I went on an excursion for a day up the Highland railway to Dunkeld and Birnam. These two places lie on opposite banks of the Tay and are connected by a fine bridge of seven arches built at an expense of $210,000. The former is an antiquated looking place embowered in luxuriant trees and standing in the centre of a valley surrounded by high wooded hills. Its principal attraction is the old cathedral built by John, Duke of Atholl in the early part of the twelfth century. The nave is in ruins but the choir is used as the parish church. It is said to have had its origin in a Culdeecell, "Albyn's earliest priests of God." The duke's pews are handsomely upholstered in red leather and railed off from the rest, which are of the box sort with seats surrounding little wooden tables in the centre, all as unattractive and uncomfortable in appearance as can be imagined. In the vestibule is a fine sculptured murar tablet in bas relief in memory of the men of the 42nd Royal Highlanders, the "Black Watch" who fell in war from the creation of the regiment in 1729 to the close of the Indian Mutiny in 1859. This Black Watch, it will be remembered was the immediate outgrowth and successor of Rob Roy's wild Highland levy. Here is also a recumbent effigy in heroic size of Sir Alexander Stuart, a Highland chief, son of Robert II. He was Earl of Buchan and from his fierce and savage disposition was called "The Wolf of Badenoch,"

There is a hill back of the cathedral which although now wooded, as the story goes, once was bare. The Duke of Atholl of the time desiring to make trees grow on this hillside, conceived the idea of shooting the seed of pine and fir into place from a cannon. The verger at the cathedral told us the story with the utmost seriousness, so it must be true.

Back of Birnam rises Birnam Hill where stood the wood that marched to Dunsinane, a march from which someone has said, it has never recovered, as the hill is now comparatively bare. On the opposite side of the valley among the Sidlaws is seen Dunsinane Hill upon which is said to be the ruins of Macbeth's castle. I did not go up to see it, but I did climb the steep side of Birnam, hanging on by the heather.

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WEST PARISH.

Last Tuesday evening a special meeting of the Grange was held, when the third and fourth degrees were worked. At the close of the degree work, Fred M. Hill, of North Andover, in behalf of the Grangers, presented Geo. L. Averill with a Past Master's badge. Mr. Averill responded in an appropriate manner, although taken completely by surprise. Afterward, supper was served in the lower hall.

Next Tuesday evening the regular meeting of the Grange will be an "at home" meeting. Dracut and West Boxford granges will furnish the entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Towle and family have returned to their home in Somerville, after spending the summer at Haggetts Pond.

WHISTLE CAVE HIM FAME.

Washington, D. C.—The last hour of the session of the Fifty-ninth Congress was enlivened by songs and whistling, the whistling being a feature contributed by Representative F. B. Fulkerson of the Fourth Missouri district.

Mr. Fulkerson whistled to the amusement of both his colleagues and the galleries. There was a peculiar trill to his warbling notes and the acoustic properties of the hall of the House of Representatives aided in impressing upon the audience the talent of the Congressional whistler and the happy selection of his airs.

Even Uncle Joe Cannon was affected by the reverberating echoes and re-echoes of the Fulkerson trill. Since then everybody from the small boy to the lingering society belle in Washington has been after that trill, and the spell has even extended to Mr. Fulkerson's colleagues, for a remaining member was caught the other day in a Washington hotel lobby practising the Fulkerson mouth pucker.

There is an interesting unpublished story of the discovery of Mr. Fulkerson's whistling talent.

Last spring, not long after Senator Warner came on to Washington, it was observed by some one of the Missouri colony in Washington that there were so many new members, and Republicans at that, that there should be a special meeting of all Missourians at the national capital. In due time Carroll Hall was secured for the occasion, and one Saturday night all the Missourians in Washington were on hand to meet one another and become better acquainted.

The programme was arranged so that each one of the new Republican members from the State should be called on for an impromptu talk. Finally it came for Fulkerson's turn to do something.

So completely had the Federal pie question and the greatness of old Missouri been gone over by the previous speakers that some one suggested that if nothing else could be said Fulkerson should just whistle, not dreaming that the request was made of one of the most expert whistlers in the country.

Mr. Fulkerson complied and entertained the Missourians in fine style. That was the way Fulkerson's warble was discovered, at least to Missourians here.

Letter to L. H. Eames

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Sleeves are, moreover, extremely fanciful in their shaping and trimmings, and of varied lengths, from short to three-quarter lengths, from short to three-quarter length, save in the simplest of tailored suits when they are smaller at the top, quite long and of simple coat shape.

Capt. Spencer, senior prison missioner of the Church Army tells a story of a certain convict's philosophic view of his existence. "Well, my man," asked Capt. Spencer, "what do you do when you are out of prison?"

"Well," said the convict, "in spring I does a bit of pea picking, and in the summer time I does a bit of fru't picking, and in the autumn I does a bit of hop picking."

"Oh!" said the captain, "what happens after that?"

"Well, now mister," replied the convict, "I may as well be honest, and tell you that in the winter time I does a bit of pocket picking!"

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POLITICAL

Marquette Club Hears Cannon.

When Speaker Cannon of the house of representatives was the guest of honor at the Chicago day banquet of the Marquette club at Chicago the cheers that greeted him gave evidence of a strong sentiment among the Republicans present in favor of making Cannon their next candidate for the presidency. In reviewing the history of the state and his party Mr. Cannon admitted that abuses had crept in because the people had been so busy with material development, and he referred to the preferential freight rates. He said it was up to the Republican party to correct these errors which have crept into political and industrial life, and in this process president, senators and the house had never worked together with less friction or better results. He took a fling at Hearst for professing to "wear the white clothing of reform" while manipulating Democracy and working for its support throughout the country.

Bailey and Crane In Joint Debate.

The much heralded joint debate between Senator Bailey and General Crane at Houston, Tex., only served to widen the breach and imbitter the Democratic factions now at war over the charges of trust affiliations made against Bailey. During the debate a personal encounter was narrowly averted by friends of the principals when, after refering to Senators Mitchell and Burton, Crane declared that party lines made no distinction in crime and that there were Democrats in Texas that ought to be behind the bars.

Oil Trusts Suits Postponed.

After a cabinet meeting it was announced that the suits against the Standard Oil company would not be begun for some time, as the president would not want to be made to appear to be prosecuting on the eve of congress election and for the purpose of making political capital.

A Radical Attack on Hearst.

The conservative eastern papers reprinted widely an analysis of William R. Hearst's relation to radicalism in the radical weekly paper known as the Public. The Public admits that Hearst has done good work for radical measures and especially for municipal ownership, but says it has become notorious that Hearst "never worked faithfully for a cause, whether philanthropic or political, unless his own portrait was stamped upon it."

In New York the Republican candidate has charged Hearst with operating a newspaper through a holding company and with swearing off the taxes due thereon.

Mr. Hearst, on the other hand, has been actively campaigning through his state and has shown his confidence by putting up independent local tickets. He charges Hughes with being the stalking horse and tool of the big financial interests.

To Investigate Capitol Scandal.

State Treasurer Berry of Pennsylvania, after refusing to honor bills for the extravagant trimmings of the new state capitol, put Governor Pennypacker and Auditor Snyder on record by asking them definitely what authority they had to authorize the architect to spend $9,000,000 on trimmings and furnishings after the building had been declared completed, with the expenditure of the original $4,000,000 appropriation. Both Pennypacker and Snyder refused to answer, and Berry expressed his belief that from $2,000,000 to $4,000,000 was expended in excess of what should have been spent. It was expected that the matter would be brought into court by his refusal to O. K. bills.



State Treasurer Berry

A Woman Running For Congress.

Miss Laura B. Payne of Fort Worth, Tex., has accepted the Socialists' nomination for congress and will make a vigorous campaign on an antigraft platform. There is believed to be nothing in the constitution to prevent a woman from holding a seat in congress, provided she can get enough men to vote for her.

Bryan Indorses Hearst.

In the Commoner, William J. Bryan comes out squarely in support of the candidacy of William R. Hearst for governor of New York. He says it is significant that among the first to charge that Hearst is not a Democrat are those who bolted whenever the party prepared for a serious campaign against monopolies. He advises all true Democrats to support the ticket headed by Hearst.

COMMERCIAL

Spanish-American Bank Failure.

The banking house of J. M. Ceballos & Co. of New York and Havana made an assignment last week to William V. Rowe of the New York law firm of Sullivan & Cromwell, and it became known that the bank was $1,000,000 short, while the man supposed to be responsible for this deficit was a fugitive on the high seas, having left Havana on his own steamer. This was Manuel Silveira, head of the house of Silveira & Co. and Cuban correspondent of the house of Ceballos. On account of the impending revolution Silveira had written to Ceballos some time ago that it was impossible to secure prompt payment, and from that time on very little money came to New York from the Havana agent. Only recently he cabled Ceballos that he had realized on the most hazardous risks and would sail for New York to bring a large sum of money and a complete accounting. It was known that he did sail from Havana on his own steamer Carmelina, with only his wife and children as passengers and the vessel manned by his own employees. Silveira said that his purpose was to take a long vacation in the north as soon as accounts were settled, but from that time nothing was heard of his whereabouts. The assignee estimated the liabilities between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000, but made no guess as to the assets.

Wabash Surplus Growing.

In his annual report President Delano of the Wabash says that competition among railroads in the future will be in supplying facilities for passenger and freight traffic rather than competition in rates. This is true, particularly in view of the rate law, which will result in fixed, stable and universal rates. He says his only fear is that the company will not be able to meet its obligations to the public in the way of facilities. Consequently he urges the retirement of the debenture bonds and the issue of $200,000,000 in consolidated mortgage bonds. The gross earnings for the year were $25,015,378, which is an increase of $318,378 notwithstanding the falling off of $294,170 in passenger earnings.

Kansas Wallowing In Wealth.

The Kansas bank commissioner's statement shows total deposits amounting to $140,000,000 or $105 for every man, woman and child in the state. The increase for the past six months is more than $10,000,000, largely from farmers' deposits.

Northern Pacific's Prosperity.

The report of the Northern Pacific railroad for the last fiscal year shows earnings of $61,223,476, or an increase of $10,500,000, whereas expenses were $31,095,433, and the amount available for dividends was equal to 14.51 per cent.

INDUSTRIAL

Farmers Holding Back Wheat.

The scarcity of wheat on the market indicates that the farmers in the wheat belt are dissatisfied with the low price of 50 and 60 cents per bushel and are forming unions to hold the crop out of the market. The vast quantity of grain coming from the Canadian northwest has kept the price low.

Another New York City Ferry.

Comptroller Metz of New York city has arranged to buy the ferry operating between the Battery and Thirty-ninth street, Brooklyn, for $750,000, to be operated by the city.

Both Hudson Tunnels Finished.

The second of the twin tubes constructed by the Pennsylvania railroad under the Hudson river was officially opened last week when Chief Engineer Jacobs of the railroad and John F. O'Rourke, the contractor, took a party of friends and reporters through the 6,600 feet of subway. The measurements of the two shields were taken shortly before the gangs of men from the east and western ends came together under the middle of the river and showed that there had not been even the one-sixteenth of an inch of deviation which occurred in completing the north tube. When the two shields met it was found that they fitted as if they had been in one piece. Although the tubes are completed, Engineer Jacobs says that they will not be ready for trains for another year. A lining of cement a foot and a half deep must be put on, and spiles must be driven fifty feet under the tunnel to solid rock.

Record Year For Corn.

Estimates based upon the Oct. 1 official crop report published by the department of agriculture indicate that the yield of corn will be 2,780,068,000, or 70,000,000 bushels greater than was ever harvested in this country in one year, and the condition was 90.1 as compared with 79.6 for ten years' average. The oat crop is estimated at 863,352,000 bushels, or an average of 31.2 per acre as compared with 34 in 1905.

SOCIOLOGICAL

Tillman Predicts Race War.

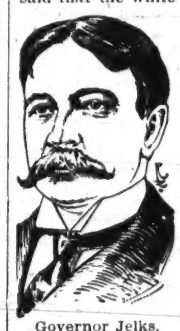
In an address before 4,000 people at Augusta, Senator Tillman of South Carolina expressed his belief that the south is at the verge of a great war, and in less than ten or possibly five years there would be a great number of bloody riots beside which the Atlanta riots would pale into insignificance. He laid down six propositions—first, that the white man of the south will continue to maintain white supremacy, politically and socially; second, that the negroes would continue to contest this position; third, that race hatred is growing in intensity in both races; fourth, lynching for criminal assault will continue as long as crime is committed; fifth, amalgamation is the hope of the negroes, and in this they are aided by the intimacy of many white men with negro women, and, sixth, that lynching has failed as to the burning issue—namely, how to prevent and not to avenge criminal assault. He had reached the conclusion that there was only one effective way to give the desired protection to the white woman—namely, the European system of passport coupled with large increase of officers of the law. He declared that the only place for the worthless roving class of negroes is among the northerners, whose scheme of reconstruction produced them. If all were shot like wild beasts, the country would be better off, but that was unlawful. He would have them placed on chain gangs or compel them to leave the country if they could not produce their passports. He said that the south should go ahead with this matter regardless "of all the Yankees between Cape Cod and hell."

Paris Dames Discarding Corsets.

There prevails at present an unprecedented corset crusade among the fashionable women of Paris, taking their cue from famous actresses. The society leaders have adopted the theory that the female figure is in reality more beautiful and graceful in its natural lines than with the construction and distortion of the corset. Since the empire style has come in the prevailing plan is to have the weight of the garments largely suspended from the shoulders.

Whole Negro Race Indicted.

In an interview concerning the recent race riots at Atlanta and elsewhere in the south, Governor Jelks of Alabama said that the white people indicted the whole colored race on the ground "that even the better element lend no assistance whatever in ferreting out criminals of their own color." He said that the two races could never get on amicably until there was an understanding on the part of both to make common cause with the law abiding against criminals of any color. No good citizen could afford to countenance defiance of the law, no matter what the provocation.



Governor Jelks.

Chicago's Summer Outing.

The Chicago bureau of charities in its weekly journal, Co-operation, reports that 12,323 country outings have been given to the poor of the city's congested districts. The transportation lines by rail and boat rendered effective assistance, and country committees aroused local interest by providing temporary homes for the "shut ins." The total was nearly 4,000 more than last year. The one week camp outings numbered 1,302, and the one day outings came to 7,078. Besides this, many settlements maintained their own summer camps.

MISCELLANEOUS

Something New In Weeklies.

The publishers of Everybody's have made their initial bow with a somewhat novel kind of weekly periodical which calls itself "Ridgway's, a Militant Weekly For God and Country." The novelty consists in its being published simultaneously in fourteen cities of this country, with a local staff in each and with its news and editorial paragraphs edited by telegraph from the central headquarters in New York, the idea being to supplant daily newspaper reading and at the same time furnish the customary feature of a weekly. In policy Ridgway's aims to steer clear of all party or factional alliances. It hopes to keep at such distance from the body of the news as to permit distinguishing the essential from the body and yet to be close enough to be timely.

Woman Crosses Labrador.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. M. Tasher, who started last June to cross northern Labrador from Hudson bay, have been heard from as alive and safe and at the end of their dangerous journey. They ran short of food and had to live on dog meat and were near starvation when they reached the first settlement.

The Early Cold Snap.

A record breaking frost and snowfall extended over the Mississippi valley as far south as Louisville, Ky., and Roanoke, Va., last week. A terrific storm swept over the great lakes, causing the wreck of many vessels and the loss of a number of lives.

Leoncavallo's American Tour.

Ruggiero Leoncavallo, the famous Italian musical composer, who is well known as the author of "Pagliacci," has begun his first American tour for the purpose of bringing to our attention his other works.

Winner of the Vanderbilt Cup.

Driving a hundred horsepower Darracq, Louis Wagner won the third contest for the Vanderbilt cup over the Long Island circuit Oct. 6, making the third consecutive and the second for the house of Darracq. Lancia, Italian, was second and Dietrich third. Another French machine, driven by Clement Bayard, was fourth, while Germany took the fifth place with Janetzy in Mercedes. Not one of the Americans were near the leaders. The winner traversed 297.1 miles in 4 hours 50 minutes 10 1-5 seconds, or an average speed of 61.43 miles per hour.

Accidents.

Two disastrous fires within ten days have nearly destroyed Ripan, Wis., the estimated loss being $350,000.

By the explosion of a powder mill at Tamaqua, Pa., four men were killed and two injured.

It was expected that the death list from the mine explosion at Pocohontas, Va., would reach seventy. About half that number of bodies had already been taken from the mine.

An explosion of illuminating gas at Fifth and Market streets, Philadelphia, caused the instant death of ten and the injury of twelve persons and wrought much damage to surrounding property.

Deaths.

Adelaide Ristori, the famous Italian actress, died at her home in Rome at the age of eighty-five. She was acknowledged to be the greatest tragic actress of her day, especially in such roles as Lady Macbeth, Judith and Phedra.

Joseph H. Glidden, inventor of the barb wire fence, died at his home in Dekalb, Ill., at the age of ninety-three.

OPERATIONS AVOIDED

Two Grateful Letters from Women Who Avoided Serious Operations.—Many Women Suffering from Like Conditions Will Be Interested.



When a physician tells a woman, suffering from female trouble, that an operation is necessary it, of course, frightens her.

The very thought of the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart. As one woman expressed it, when told by her physician that she must undergo an operation, she felt that her death knell had sounded.

Our hospitals are full of women who are there for just such operations!

It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but such cases are much rarer than is generally supposed, because a great many women have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after the doctors had said an operation must be performed. In fact, up to the point where the knife must be used to secure instant relief, this medicine is certain to help.

The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who, by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, have escaped serious operations.

Margrite Ryan, Treasurer of St. Andrew's Society, Indianapolis, Ind., writes of her cure as follows:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I cannot find words to express my thanks for the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me. The doctor said I could not get well unless I had an operation for the trouble from which I suffered. I knew I could not stand the strain of an operation and made up my mind I would be an invalid for life. Hearing how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had saved other women from serious operations I decided to try it, and in less than four months I was entirely cured; and words fail to express my thankfulness."

Miss Margret Merkley, of 275 8d Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, severe shooting pains through the pelvic organs, cramps, bearing-down pains, and an irritable disposition compelled me to seek medical advice. The doctor, after making an examination, said that I had a serious female trouble and ulceration, and advised an operation as my only hope. To this I strongly objected—and I decided as a last resort to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"To my surprise the ulceration healed, all the bad symptoms disappeared, and I am once more strong, vigorous and well; and I cannot express my thanks for what it has done for me."

Serious feminine troubles are steadily on the increase among women—and before submitting to an operation every woman should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. for advice.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been curing the worst forms of female complaints, all functional troubles, inflammation, ulceration, falling and displacement, weakness, irregularities, indigestion and nervous prostration. Any woman who could read the many grateful letters on file in Mrs. Pinkham's office would be convinced of the efficiency of her advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

GOOD FOOTBALL PLAYER.

A recent issue of an exchange contained the following article and a picture of Robert Anderson, captain of last year's and this year's association football team of this town:

"Robert Anderson captain of the Andover association football team, is one of the most zealous players to be found in the ranks of any of the local soccer teams today. He and his merit as a football player are well known throughout Massachusetts. For the last two seasons he has acted as skipper for the Andover team, and on many occasions was able to turn the tide in favor of the "maroons," when defeat seemed imminent. He is a native of Scotland and learned his football in Abwath, the nursery of many of the present day football stars.

"Since coming to America two years ago, he has improved considerably, and his work last season was of the highest order. Last season he had the honor of leading his team to victory against the champion Fore River team, and was called upon by the committee of the Merrimack Valley league as reserve for the Pilgrim game in Boston last fall. He indulges in no gallery play, but puts his whole energy into the game, which fact has earned for him the fear and respect of his opponents on the soccer football field."

The Andover association football team defeated the Olympics Saturday by the score of 8 to 0. For the first 20 minutes of the game the visitors played with 10 men, having three men of their regular team absent. After 20 minutes G. Heeley of the visitors took the field, and he had not been on the field five minutes before the Olympics' ranks were again reduced to 10 men, through the right halfback having to leave the field on account of sickness. Up to this time, the Olympics had as much of the game as the Andovers had. J. Walmsley and W. Brothers repeatedly grazing the crossbar and goal posts. The entire team played a good game. The Olympics had another misfortune in losing the services of their goal tender, who had to leave the field temporarily, thus leaving the visitors with nine men. The score at half-time was, Andover 4, Olympics 0. Immediately on resuming play, the Olympics pressed, the front rank being rearranged, W. Brothers going to centre from left halfback: J. Walmsley, G. Heeley, left wing, and Dunsford & Butterworth, right wing. J. Walmsley ran the ball along the "touch" line and passed to W. Brothers in the center, and the last named player, as he shot for what seemed to the spectator to be a sure goal, was brought down in the goal mouth by the fullback allowing the goal tender to get the ball and clear his goal. The Andover team scored four goals in the second half, and were the winners by 8 to 0.

FUNERAL OF ANNIE HEALEY.

Annie Healey of Andover, formerly of Haverhill died in Lawrence General hospital Wednesday, Oct. 10, and was buried in Haverhill Friday morning at (9 a. m.) where solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Canarie the church being filled with many relatives and friends of the deceased.

The bearers were: Michael Barrett, Lawrence Kelley, Robert Kelley, Geo. McNamara, John Collins of Andover and Oscar Dussault. Interment was in West Newbury cemetery. There was a profusion of flowers. They included the following:

Large cross, Miss Ella Foye and Arthur Roussie; floral horse shoe, Miss May Creedon, Newburyport; spray of pinks, Lawrence Kelley; spray of gladiolas and ferns Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Ryan; column spray of white pinks, Miss Annie Stanley; large column spray of pink pinks and asparagus vine, Miss Grace Collins and John Collins, Andover; bouquet, Mrs. Bette and family; bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. P. Kesville and family; spray of white pinks and ferns, Chas. Ryan; large pillow,; inscribed "Annie," Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mahoney Newburyport; basket, Geo. McAcree; large wreath with ivory leaves, Curran and Joyce family, Andover; spray of pink pinks, and infants' breath, Mrs. Etta Joslin and Miss Etta Joslin; spray of white pinks and ferns, Miss Josephine Flanagan; twenty-eight pinks and maiden hair ferns, Misses Cassie and Annie Driscoll; mammoth basket employees of Curran and Joyce estate, Andover, where Miss Healey had been employed; twenty-eight tea roses, Miss May Lee; large cross on base, Robert Kelley; twenty-eight white pinks and ferns, William Maloney, Andover.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of George Henry Cochran, late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate, by Eugene W. Kendal, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, without giving a surety on his official bond, no executor being named in said will.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lawrence, in said County of Essex, on the twelfth day of November, A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

ESSEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charlotte E. Stevens, late of North Andover, in said County (wife of Moses T. Stevens,) deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Moses T. Stevens, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Salem, in said County, of Essex, on the fifth day of November A. D. 1906, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, a newspaper published in Andover, the last publication to be one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Rollin E. Harmon, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

REGISTRARS' NOTICE.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session on the following dates to enable persons to register whose names are not on the check lists, but who are otherwise qualified to vote:

Friday Sept. 21, from	7.30	to	9.30 p.m.,	Town House
Monday, Oct. 8,	" 7.30	"	9.30 "	"
Wednes., " 17,	" 7.30	"	9.30 "	"
Friday, " 19,	" 7.30	"	9.30 "	"
Saturday, " 27,	" 12m.	"	10 "	"

Wednesday, Oct. 10, from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m., Old School House, Ballard Vale.

Monday, Oct. 22, from 7.30 to 9.30 p. m., Old School House, Ballard Vale.

JOSEPH F. COLE,
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LAWRENCE

WORLD'S CHAMPION CHECKER PLAYER HERE.

Checker enthusiasts to the number of 100 gathered Tuesday night in Caledonian hall in the Brechin block, under the auspices of the Lawrence Checker club, to witness a contest in which Charles F. Barker of Boston, champion checker expert of the world, played 24 simultaneous games with men from this city, Haverhill, Whitinsville, Andover and North Andover.

James D. Horne and Charles J. Travisee of the local club arranged and conducted the affair, which was successful throughout, and was productive of great interest.

Shortly after eight oclock the players took their seats at the table, which had been arranged in a large circle, and the contest began. Two moves were made by each player and Mr Barker as he passed from board to board, and soon the expert had his opponents cudgelling their brains as to how they might reply to his steady and persistent attack. In no case was there a game opposed to the great player which was dangerous, but in several games his opponents held their own until well towards the end, when Mr. Barker's wonderful knowledge of the game manifested itself and the best the players could do was to force a draw.

M. J. Mann of this city played a strong game with the Ayrshire Lassie opening and succeeded in getting a drawn game as did Charles McPherson of North Andover who opened with the Single Corner.

James Craik of Andover opening with a Bristol, drifted into an irregular game which kept Mr. Barker at bay until the end and forced a draw. S. H. Freedman played an exceptionaly careful game using the Whilter and was rewarded for his care by securing a draw, and John J. Kiley, a member of Battery C, of this city sustained the honor of Lawrence and his company by carrying through from a Bristol opening to a draw what proved to be a stubbornly fought game. Capt. Sargent was on hand and congratulated Kiley on his ability. Amos M. Spurr of South Lawrence played a plucky game, and with a Kelso opening, fought to the end and secured a draw with the champion.

Mr. Barker stated that the games put up against him were universally good, and commended the skill which had been displayed on the whole.

The following is the complete score in which Mr. Barker secured 18 wins and 6 draws out of the 24 games played.

M. J. Mann, Lawrence, Ayrshire Lassie, Drawn
A. McFarlane, Lawrence, Irregular, Barker won
Robert Silk, Lawrence, White Dyke, Barker won
J. T. Higgins, Lawrence, Double Corner, Barker won
J. W. Sands, Lawrence, Kelso, Barker won
Frederick Iredale, Lawrence, Old Fourteenth, Barker won
Stephen Ganghan, Lawrence, Denny, Barker won
Arthur Clark, Methuen, Old Fourteenth, Barker won
Charles McPherson, North Andover, Single Corner, Drawn
William H. Randall, Lawrence, Double Corner, Barker won
James Craik, Andover, Bristol, Drawn
Henry Meeken, Lawrence, Single Corner, Barker Won
Irving Lewis, Haverhill, Cross, Barker won
S. H. Freedman, Lawrence, Whilter, Drawn
Alexander Scott, Lawrence, Double Corner, Barker won
David Rolley, Haverhill, Glasgow, Barker won
John J. Kiley, Lawrence, Bristol, Drawn
G. A. Smith, Lawrence, Old Fourteenth, Barker won
George A. Farrand Whitinsville, Irregular, Barker won
Charles H. Kitchin, Lawrence, Dundee, Barker won
A. Greely, Lawrence, Double Corner, Barker won
A. M. Spurr, Lawrence Kelso, Drawn
F. A. Butland, Lawrence, Fife, Barker won
John L. Bartlett, Lawrence, Irregular, Barker won

DIED AT HIS POST OF DUTY.

Rev. Fr. Philip Batal, pastor of St. Joseph's Syrian church, of the Greek rite, died suddenly about 9 o'clock Tuesday night, while making a sick call on a parishioner who resides at 352 Elm street. The cause of death was heart disease.

Shortly before 9 o'clock Fr. Batal left the parish residence to make a sick call at 352 Elm street. He apparently was in good health at that time, but on reaching his destination he was taken suddenly ill and died before medical aid could be summoned.

The deceased studied the Greek Melthite or Greek United Rite and he was a monk of St. Basil order, or as it is known in Syria, the Order of the Holy Redeemer.

Father Batal was born in Zahleh, Mt. Lebanon, Syria, in 1848. He learned the rudiments of the Greek and Arabic language and was a student at the Jesuit school in his native place. When very young he entered the religious life when after years of faithful study he was ordained a priest. He was sent to the Propaganda in Rome in 1870, where he studied for six years. He then returned to his native country where he was ordained to the priesthood. Following his ordination he was assigned to different places, at one time he was stationed at Bethlehem for two years.

He was called to Lawrence, Oct. 13, 1901 to take charge of the Syrian parish. After much labor he secured money to build a church adjoining the property of St. Mary's on Oak street. Here he lived alone the life of a holy monk.

He leaves two sisters and four brothers.

The funeral will be held from St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock Friday morning. Interment will be in the Priests' lot.

From the Leeds Mercury.

Although the assertion recently made by an Italian sea captain that the power of sails was increased by their being perforated was ridiculed, it has just been proved that he was right.

His theory was that the force of the wind cannot fairly take effect on an inflated sail because of the cushion of immovable air that fills up the hollow. To prevent the creation and presence of that cushion he pierced his sails with many holes, through which the wind blew, the balance of the air pressure striking against the canvas and exerting its full effect.

Several experiments have been made on these lines, and the results are declared to have been eminently satisfactory.

STATE CRICKET LEAGUE TO MEET IN LAWRENCE.

Alfred Watson and Joseph Senior of the Buntings, Harry Mosley and Alec Williams of the Mohairs, John H. Mills of the North Billerica Cricket Club, Albert Whitworth of the Zions, and Herbert Hadley of the Moore Spinning Cricket club attended the meeting of the Massachusetts State Cricket League held in the American House, Boston, Saturday afternoon. Thomas Southam of this city was one of the representatives of the Everett Cricket club. There was considerable routine business transacted. President Hosford called the meeting to order at 3.30 p. m. The delegates were slow in arriving, and many of the clubs were not represented at all. The Mohairs of this city were given leave to withdraw their protest in the Lawrence-Mohair game.

Notwithstanding the denial of President Hosford, that the Everetts had not protested the West India-Everett game, the league took action in favor of the umpires calling the game a draw. A communication was read from the Everett club claiming the game on account of the West Indias not being ready to start the game at 2.45 p. m.

The annual meeting of the state league is to be held in Lawrence in November and a committee was appointed to have charge of arrangements.

There was considerable talk before and after the league meeting among the Lawrence and Lowell delegates about the re-organization of the Merrimack Valley Cricket league. Six of the clubs already mentioned as members of the proposed league have already signified their willingness to join the movement and it is thought that within a few days a meeting will be called to discuss the matter thoroughly.

The action of the state league in having the annual meeting and banquet in Lawrence is looked upon as an effort to keep the Lawrence clubs in the state league. Whether the Lawrence clubs will be satisfied with the eleventh hour recognition or not remains to be seen, but it is sincerely hoped that they will not be misled by the sudden interest which the state league has taken in the Lawrence clubs. Unless the clubs in Lowell, Lawrence and vicinity break away from the state league and form a league of their own, there can be no hope of the game being conducted with sportsmanlike principles.

On two occasions, history has repeated itself in connection with the winning of the championship. In the three years which the league has existed, the Lynn Wanderers is the only club which has won the championship without the aid of umpires, and the records of the game will prove that this assertion cannot be denied. The old Merrimack Valley league never had the trouble the state league is having, the manner in which neutral umpires have been chosen having caused considerable dissatisfaction and the powers which are placed in the hands of the president and secretary are often abused.

Those who are in favor of the Merrimack Valley league starting believe that it would be a good plan to let the Boston end of the state district have a league of its own and at the close of the season let the winners of each league play off for the state league championship one or three games. If three games could be arranged in September it would prove a great attraction and the leagues would receive large gate receipts.

All eyes are on the Lawrence clubs. Will they be satisfied to remain in the state league or join the new movement? The holding of the annual meeting of the state league in Lawrence is a move to quash the formation of a new league, and Methuen, Merrimack and Lawrence cricket clubs should not be influenced by any such scheme.—Lowell Mail.

It costs $6432.12 to run the four weeks' sitting of the criminal court in Salem and Lawrence, divided as follows: Witnesses, $3249; jurors and travel, $2143.32; officers and meals for jurors, $996.10; constables notifying jurors, $43.70.

A large amount of business was transacted. There were no large cases this term, and not a state prison sentence from this end of the county and only three in all. Last May, 11 persons were sentenced to state prison. The business is summarized as follows:

Sentences to state prison, 3; aggregating not more than 17 nor less than 10 years; Concord reformatory 5; Woman's prison at Sherburn, 7; Bridgewater workhouse 1. Sentences to the house of correction were imposed aggregating 37 years 8 months and three weeks, and fines and costs imposed amounting to $1392.

There were 13 verdicts of not guilty rendered; defendants in two cases were released on their own recognizance; 41 cases were filed; 14 probated; 36 continued, and 5 not prossed.

The sheriff received in fines paid in court, $1064.

On the whole the term has been one of the most satisfactory held for some years.

The grand jury will meet at Lawrence again on Oct. 29, in special session, but there is to be no special term of court following the sitting and whatever indictments may be returned, will be called up at the January sitting.

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I look into her eyes—
A tiny thing she is,
Not half my size.
And yet, by Jove,
She's knocked me out so flat
I cannot even guess
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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS IN CONVENTION

There were in the neighborhood of 150 delegates in attendance at the annual convention of the Lawrence District Sunday School association held in the First Congregational church in Methuen Wednesday afternoon and evening. The afternoon session opened at 3 o'clock and a supper was served in Phillips chapel at the close by the members of the Young People's society of the Methuen church. The evening session opened at 7.45 o'clock. The addresses were very interesting and instructive.

Prof. C. W. Rishell, of Boston University, was in attendance and spoke on the subject "The Place of Psychology in Sunday School Teaching." Mrs. Florence S. Ware was another of the speakers and gave an address on elementary Sunday school teaching. Many of the teachers in this last mentioned grade were present. Mrs. Ware is state elementary grade secretary. Rev. J. L. Keedy of North Andover spoke on intermediate grade work.

At the business session held in the evening the following officers were elected: President, Deacon S. F. Snell of the Second Baptist church, Lawrence; vice president, F. M. Vietor, German Presbyterian church, Lawrence; treasurer, Wallace Abbott of the Universalist church, Lawrence; secretary, Miss Sadie A. Morgan, Lawrence; executive board, J. I. Milliken, Free Baptist church, Lawrence; Frank Farr, Lawrence; Rev. J. L. Keedy, North Andover; John Colquhoun, United Presbyterian church, Lowrence; Rev. C. H. Oliphant, Methuen; seretary of home department, Mrs. L. F. Crosby; secretary primary department, Miss Elsie Searle.

The day's program follows:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3.00—Devotional service, Rev. C. H. Oliphant, Methuen.

3.15—Address, Rev. Arthur Wheelock Moulton rector Grace Episcopal church, Lawrence.

3.40—Business. Reports of Officers. Appointment of nominating committee.

4.00—Address, Hamilton S. Conant, Boston, Gen. Sec. Mass. S. S. Assn.

4.30—Snapshots of the Northfield Summer school, Miss Helen Campbell, Miss Minnie A. Mellows, Miss Ruth M. Milliken, Rev. W. J. Twort.

5.00—Address, "Independence in Teaching. How far shold it be carried?" Rev. W. E. Lombard, pastor Baptist church, Andover.

5.20—Singing. Offering.

5.25—Address, "Story Telling," Mrs. Florence S. Ware, Worcester, State Elementary Grade Sec.

6.30—Supper. Tickets twenty-five cents. (Price fixed by executive committee.

CONFERENCES.

7.15—Elementary Grade, Mrs. F. S. Ware: Intermediate Grade, Rev. J. L. Keedy; General work, Hamilton S. Conant.

EVENING SESSION.

7.45—Devotional service.

7.45—Business. Report of nominating committee. Election of officers. Offering

8.05—Address, "Place of Psychology in Sunday School Teaching," Prof. C. W. Rishell, Boston University.

8.35—Holyoke State Convention in a nutshell District Secretary, Miss Sadie A. Morgan. Presentation of the association work from a business point of view by members of the District Executive committee.

THE REEVES OBSEQUIES.

The funeral rites over the remains of Peter Reeves, a prominent business man of Lawrence who passed away Friday, were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at his late home, 68 Marblehead street, North Andover.

Previous to the services a large number of business associates, friends and acquaintances of the deceased gathered at the bereaved home to look upon the familiar figure of their departed brother for the last time. Rev. H. Usher Monro, rector of St. Paul's church conducted the beautiful and impressive services according to the Episcopal faith. In closing he briefly outlined the industriousness and thriftiness of the deceased, his honesty and integrity and his faithful service and devotion to his church, his family and his brethren. The remains were enclosed in a solid oak casket with silver trimmings. The plate was inscribed:

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PETER REEVES.

Following the services the remains were tenderly borne to Ridgewood cemetery where interment took place in the family lot. Committal services were conducted by Rev. H. Usher Monro.

The pall bearers were a delegation from the Wauwinet lodge, I. O. O. F., of which the deceased was a member: P. G. James W. Leitch, P. G. George Rextrow, P. G. John B. Lewis, P. G. John M. Shearer.

The following beautiful tokens of love and esteem were received: Mound, family; three links on base, inscribed "No. 111." Wauwinet lodge, I. O. O. F.; anchor on base, Mrs. Robertshaw, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Wilde, Mrs. Slipe Mrs. Anderson, Miss Fleetwood; wreath, employes; mound, T. H. Tattersall; basket, William R. Baxter; basket, Mr. and Mrs. John Crowther; basket, Charles McNiff; basket, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Somerville; basket, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Harris; spray, C. A. Parker; spray, Miss Milner; spray, Miss Ida E. Rother; spray, Mrs. Frederick Butler; spray, Mr. and Mrs. George Butler; spray, Mr. and Mrs. William Butler; spray, Mr. and Mrs. John Kiry; sheath of wheat with purple asters, James Smith.

LOCAL WOMAN COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Mrs. Thomas Wilkinson, residing at 38 Hampton street, ended her life today by inhaling illuminating gas. She is 49 years old and leaves besides her husband, who is a woolsorter in a local mill, one son and a married daughter.

The deceased attempted suicide Sept 18th in the same method as she successfully adopted Monday when she attached a rubber tube to a gas jet and was found with the end of the tube in her mouth, and lying upon a bed, the door of the room being locked. She was unconscious and her life was barely saved.

Her husband went home about 11 o'clock Monday morning and detecting a strong odor of gas in the apartments suspected at once the state of affairs and rushing to the room found his wife lying dead. She has been subject to fits of despondency for some time, and her mind seems to have been somewhat affected of late.

Medical Examiner Dow viewed the remains and pronounced death due to asphyxiation by illuminating gas.

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DEAN ACADEMY WAS EASY FOR ANDOVER.

Phillips Andover defeated Dean academy, 22 to 0, on Brothers field yesterday afternoon. Andover scored early in the first half on a blocked kick, Donahue falling on the ball after it had rolled over the line.

The best executed forward pass made here so far resulted in the second touchdown, O'Connor receiving the ball on a fine pass from Merritt and running 55 yards behind good interference for a touchdown.

Time and again the ball was fumbled by both teams, Andover making her third touchdown after a fumble on the three-yard line by Dean. Both teams were repeatedly penalized for offside play and holding, Andover being deprived of two touchdowns because of holding on the play which took the ball over the line.

Fisher tried for three goals from placement from about the 40-yard line, two of which were close. O'Connor made three good tries for goals from the field.

Andover got her last touchdown after a well-executed quarterback kick. O'Connor getting the ball and carrying it to Dean's two-yard line, from which point Donahue went over, just as time was called.

Dean held Andover for downs once on the one-yard line, and played a plucky game throughout, Clarke, Daly, White, Weaver, Brown and Grant putting up a strong game.

Haines of Andover outpunted Grant who did the kicking for Dean, but the latter got the ball well into the air and it was frequently recovered by the Dean ends after fumbles. The summary

PHILLIPS AND.	DEAN ACAD
Haines le	re Raftery
Fisher lt	rt Clarke
McKay lg	rg Garify
Derling lg	rg Morris
Greenough c	c Hoffay
Clough rg	lg Lent
Burnham rg	
Rosendale rt	lt Hoggerty
Richmond re	le Daley
Langbon re	
Mason re	
Conway re	
Merritt qb	qb White
Favorite lhb	rhb Grant
Freeman lhb	
O'Connor rhb	lhb Brown
Donahue fb	fb Weaver

Score, Andover 22. Touchdowns, Donahue 3, O'Connor. Goals from touchdowns, Fisher 2. Umpire, Hudson. Referee, Pendleton. Linesmen, Mackay and Secey. Time 20m and 15m periods.

PHILLIPS ANDOVER BEATEN BY YALE FRESHMEN.

Phillips Andover was defeated, 11 to 0, by the Yale freshmen on Brothers field Saturday afternoon, it being the first time since 1897 that a Yale freshman eleven has won at Andover. The new rule at Yale making first-year men ineligible for the varsity enabled the freshmen to present a strong team including four old Andover stars, Andrus, Merritt, Lynn and Moorehead, and Cooney, the big Exeter center, as well as several Hotchkiss school veterans.

Andover was outweighed, and as the results shows, outplayed, although the contest was really closer than the score indicates.

Yale's first score came in the middle of the first half, Wheaton getting the ball after a quarterback kick by Andover and running 5 yards for a touchdown.

Andover started the second half with much dash and got within a yard of a touchdown, but lacked the weight to push the ball over. Near the end of the half Yale got the ball on a fumble on Andover's 25-yard line and forced Andover back gradually, Capt. Coy finally scoring from the one-yard line.

Andover lost much ground on fumbles and Favorite was slow in getting off punts two being blocked. Coy made two attempts at goals from the field, one from the 30-yard line, which went to one side, and one from the 40-yard line, which was blocked.

In a last desperate effort to score Merritt made a fair catch on Yale's 50-yard line and Kilpatrick tried to kick a goal from placement. The kick was a bit outside, but carried far enough to score if the direction had been more true.

The forward pass was tried once by each team, Yale's attempt being poor and Andover's netting a clean 10 yards. The summary:

YALE '10.	ANDOVER
Platt le	re Richmond
Lynn le	re Conway
Andrus lt	rt Fisher
Prown lg	rg Burnham
	rg Greenough
	rg Derling
Cooney c	c Clough
Cobel rg	lg McKay
Brainerd rt	lt Rosendale
Flint rt	
Logan re	le Haines
Moorehead qb	qb Merritt
Hingham qb	qb Hopkins
Merritt lhb	rhb Favorite
Philbin lhb	rhb O'Connor
Wheaton rhb	lhb Baker
Holt rhb	lhb Kilpatrick
Coy fb	fb Daly
Purke fb	fb Donahue

Score, Yale 11. Touchdowns, Wheaton, Coy. Goal from touchdown, Coy. Umpire, Hudson. Referee, Bullinger. Linesmen, Mackay and Philbin. Time 15m halves.

Mrs. Owen Dunn, of Benton Ferry, W. Va., writes: "I have had kidney and bladder trouble for years, and it became so bad that I was obliged to get up at least a dozen times a night. I never received any permanent benefit from any medicine until I tried Foley's Kidney Cure. After using two bottles, I am cured." Sold by J. J. Desmond and Chas. E. Scheffler.

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EXETER DEFEATED BY HARVARD 2ND ELEVEN.

EXETER, N. H., Oct. 15—Harvard second Saturday defeated Exeter, 4 to 0, Gilder kicking a beautiful field goal that set the crowd cheering.

Repeated fumbles cost Exeter heavily, one giving Gilder the opportunity to which he rose. Harvard excelled in handling kicks but the general advantage was otherwise with Exeter. The summary.

HARVARD 2D.	EXETER
Harding le	re Gilroy
Robinson lt	rt White
O'Hare lg	rg Power
Nourse c	c Downing
Frock rg	lg MacGregor
Phillipsbar rt	lt Hart
Moire re	le Hurley
Adams qb	qb Loftus
Gilder lhb	rhb Peak
Kreenabaum rhb	lhb Malcolm
	lhb Havens
Jones fb	fb Smith

Score, Harvard 4. Goal from field, Gilder. Umpire, R. C. Stevenson. Referee, N. S. McKendrick. Linesmen, Hoffman and Scott. Time 15m halves.

EXETER 0, CUSHING 0.

EXETER, N. H., Oct. 18—Neither side scored in Wednesday's Exeter-Cushing game. The first half was largely a punting game. Early in the second half Capt. Vaughan replaced and immediately made one of the two brilliant plays of the game, running back a punt 50 yards, which placed Exeter on Cushing's 30-yard line. A forward pass crossed the goal line, and this was opportune for Cushing. She retrieved her punt, but was immediately forced again to punt. Exeter also kicked and Loeber, aided by beautiful interference, then contributed a 30-yard run around left end. Time was called soon after. The summary:

Exeter	Cushing
Hurley le	re Riordan
Hart lt	rt Adams
MacGregor lg	rg Edwards
Lynch c	c Boutin
Power rg	lg Freeman
Thomas rt	lt Sherwin
Gilroy re	le Wheeler
Loftus qb	qb Putnam
Vaughan qb	
Peak lhb	rhb Howard
Porter lhb	
Havens rhb	lhb Loeber
	lhb Kenney
Smith fb	fb Houston

Umpire, N. S. McKendrick. Referee, H. A. Ross. Linesmen, Boynton and Clancy. Time, 15m, halves.

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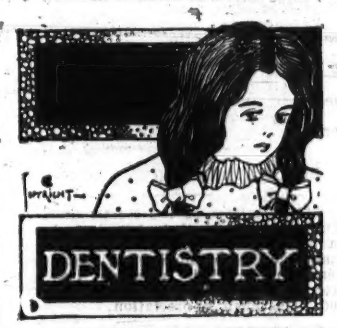
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North Andover News

George Gould is visiting with his daughter in Quincy.

Joseph H. Stone is spending a few days at his home in town.

J. J. Chickering of Boston has been spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Humphrey are guests of A. P. Fuller in the Kimball district.

Alpheus France of Rose Meadow farm is a patient at the Homeopathic hospital, Boston.

The grand sale under the auspices of the Charitable Union will probably take place Nov. 1st.

W. G. Brooks and family leave Phillips Mansion for their winter home in Boston about Nov. 1st.

At the meeting of the registrar of voters held Wednesday evening eight names were added to the voters' list.

F. L. Sargent, the local furniture and piano mover has gone to Boston with the household goods belonging to Granville E. Foss, Jr.

Hollis R. Bailey was re-appointed chairman of the state board of bar examiners by the judges of the supreme judicial court yesterday for a term of five years.

Next Sunday morning will be observed as "Unitarian Day" at the Old North church. The pastor, Rev. S. C Beane, jr., will preach a sermon on "The Opportunity of Unitarianism" and the annual collection will be taken for missionary work. If you desire to learn something concerning our denomination and to aid in the doubling of funds and new churches, come and give generously!

Y. M. C. NOTES.

A large number of members gathered at the Young Men's club house Tuesday evening to enjoy a social evening of music and games. The evening hours swiftly sped by while the members partook of the many diversions afforded at the beautiful and commodious club house. Vocal selection were rendered by several of the party.

Harry A. Josselyn presided at the piano.

The president, Rev. H. Usher Monro was chairman of the evening.

Interesting remarks were made by Samuel Rockwell, William E. Helliwell Clarence I. Smith, Herbert E. McQuestion and Harry A. Josselyn.

Moses T. Stevens Jr., has chosen the following entertainment committee: Harry A. Josselyn and Arthur Higton. This committee together with the Ladies Auxiliary will conduct a Hallowe'een party, Oct. 31.

A "gym" class will be started within a few days, under the direction of a competent instructor. Names are now being received for the bowling, whist and checker tournaments which will begin next week.

Suitable prizes will be given and regular Y. M. C. teams will be formed of the best players.

A straight whist tournament of five sittings will begin next Friday. Entries can be made with Atty. Arthur P. Chickering. The rules governing the tournament are:

Pairs remain intact through each sitting. No contestant to play more than twice with same partner during the tournament.

No game with less than seven pairs.

Average computed on basis of not less than three sittings.

Prize for best average. Other rules will be announced at the sittings.

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All members who wish to compete in the checker tournament are requested to send their names to Clarence I. Smith or J. G. Miller.

Matches to be the best three out of five games. Ten cents a head entrance fee will be charged so that a suitable prize may be given to the winner.

The bowling tournament will begin next Monday evening.

Captains and teams will be chosen on Saturday evening.

Matches will begin each evening at 9 o'clock.

Each team that enters will bowl two matches each week.

Members are requested to enter at once.

ENJOYABLE DANCING SOCIAL.

The members of the North Andover Drum Corp and their friends enjoyed a very pleasant social in Odd Fellows hall Tuesday evening when their first lesson under their competent instructor, Leonard P. Johonson was received with much appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carney have returned from a trip to New York.

Miss Gertrude Brooks has returned after a few days' visit in Boston.

Samuel D. Stevens and family leave for their winter home in Andover, November 1st.

Leverett H. Downing of High street will occupy his elegant new house on Elm street in about two weeks.

The following letters remain unclaimed at the Parish post office: Primo Porter, Alex. M. Thompson, Carl S. Young.

About 100 members of the Holy Name Society of St. Michael's church attended Holy Communion Sunday morning.

Joseph Dupres, employed in the carpenter shop of the Davis and Furber machine company, had a portion of his thumb and first finger of his right hand cut off by a circular saw, Saturday.

The Junior Christian Alliance officers for 1906 are Miss Fanny I. Goodhue, president, Miss Emily Driver, vice president, and Miss Mabel Hannaford, secretary treasurer.

Herman E. Wills of Cleveland, Ohio, assistant grand chief engineer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of America, has returned home after spending several weeks visiting relatives in town.

Many local people are planning to attend the concert and ball to take place in Association hall, Lawrence, on Nov. 2d, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Clan McPherson. Tickets can be procured from Mrs. Thompson on Pleasant street, Mrs. Craig on Cleveland street or Mrs. Stewart of Marblehead street.

The Ramblers add another victory to their schedule as on Saturday afternoon an eleven from Beverly met a sad defeat before the local's squad who scored 29 points more than the visiting aggregation. The Beverly team was unable to score a touchdown and the local contestants held the pigskin in vicinity of the opposing goal most of the time.

Among those from this town who enjoyed the annual Boston and Albany excursion which took place during the past week were: Ruth Foster, Isabelle Reynolds, Alice Weston, Olive A. Rea, Ruth B. Foster, Charles Foster and Fred L. Sargent. The party left Boston last Thursday. The excursion included a trip through the Berkshire Hills, a sail down the Hudson river and a night of sight-seeing in New York, beside the other numerous places of interest which were visited.

HER EARTHLY LABORS ENDED.

Mary Moher, wife of the late Michael J. Moher, passed away at her late home, 3 School street about 3.15 o'clock Monday afternoon. The deceased had been ill for the past year and although everything in the way of medical skill and loving care had been done, those about her saw their kindly administrations at an end as the spirit departed gave rest and peace to a tired body.

Mary Moher was born in this town in 1876, the daughter of Dennis and Ann Keefe.

She received her education in the local public schools and attended St. Michael's Sunday school where she was brought up in the tenets of the Catholic faith and where she remained a devout parishioner. Her sad death causes the loss of a loving mother and a faithful sister. Her husband, the late Michael J. Moher, passed away about three years ago. She leaves two little children, Helen M. and Arthur J. Moher, and four brothers, Arthur Keefe of this town; Patrick Keefe of Cambridge, Dennis Keefe of Canton, Mass.; and Thomas Keefe of Lawrence.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

B. W. Currier, a former highly respected resident passed away at his late home in Methuen Monday afternoon, aged 40 years. The deceased formerly resided in this town where he was employed as watchman at the Osgood mills.

He was a quiet and genial man and the many sterling qualities of his admirable character will never be forgotten. By his death he leaves one daughter, Florence. His wife passed away about a month ago.

The funeral services will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the family lot in Walnut Grove cemetery, Methuen.

Extensive improvements are being made at St. Michael's church.

A case of spinal meningitis has been reported to the local board of health.

Mrs. W. B. Stevens who has been a guest at the Prospect House during the summer season will return to her winter home in Boston Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wiley has closed her summer residence at Boxford and is now occupying her winter home on Elm street.

Rev. J. P. Franks of Salem preached at St. Paul's church Sunday morning. Rev. Mr. Franks is a brother of Mrs William G. Brooks of this town.

Herman E. Wells, Assistant Chief Engineer of the Brotherhood Locomotive Engineers of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting with his sister, Mrs. William Halliday on Main street.

Thomas H. Broaderick was nominated for representative at the Democratic convention for the 10th district which was held in Haverhill last night. Harry F. Cunningham was chairman of the convention and P. J. Healey was secretary.

Rev. Fr. Cronley, formerly of St. Patrick's church, South Lawrence, at the time St. Michael's was a mission church visited in town Monday. The worthy clergyman is hale and hearty and his many local friends extended him a cordial welcome. Rev. Fr. Cronley is now stationed at Hopkinton.

SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD HERE.

The semi-annual meeting of the Andover Conference of Congregational churches will be held Tuesday, Oct. 23, with the Trinitarian church at No Andover.

The conference will commence at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, supper will be served at 6 o'clock, after which the evening session will be held. The general theme of the conference is "Our Local Prosperity." Charles A. Breck of Methuen will act as moderator, assisted by Rev. E. A. Smith of Lowell. Rev. Herbert G. Mank of this city, and Albert W. Burnham, Lowell.

The program is as follows:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3—Devotional exercises, Rev. Owen James, Dracut.

3:10—Report of committee of arrangements, Reading records by secretary. Appointment of business committee of three. New business.

3:20—Our mission churches and our missionary work, Rev. F. A. Wilson, Andover, Rev. George F. Kengott Lowell.

3:50—Discussion.

4—The future of Andover seminary Rev. William E. Wolcott, Lawrence Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Lowell.

4.20—Discussion.

4:40—Evangelism in our churches Rev. F. S. Hunnewell of the state association'

4:50—Discussion.

5—Child labor within the bounds of the Andover conference—Rev. Clark Carter, Lawrence.

5:20—The outlook in foreign missions, Rev. Geo. E. Martin, D.D., Lowell.

5:30—Business.

6—Recess.

EVENING SESSION.

7—Unfinished business.

7:45—The outlook in home missions Rev. Albert F. Earnshaw, Chelmsford.

7:25—A graded Bible school, Rev Burt L. Yorkes, West Medford.

7:40—Discussion.

8—Irish Presbyterian and American Congregationalism, What each can learn from the other. Rev. J. Edgar Park, Andover.

8:30—Adjourn.

J. H. S. RHETORICALS.

The Johnson High school rhetorical program held Friday afternoon proved to be of the most enjoyable of the season.

The program was follows:

Piano soli, Bagatelle, Beethoven
Mill A lee Rea.

The Pride of Battery. B,
H. F. Cassaway
Miss Johnson.

The Long White Seam, Jean Ingelow
Miss Florence Stone.

Address at Gettysberg, Lincoln
Ralph Currier.

Jimmy Brown, W. L. Alden
Miss Hamilton.

Selection from "Washington's Farewell Address,"
Charles Wilcox.

Piano solo, The Robin's Return,
Miss Knowles.

Roll-call, Nathaniel P. Shepard
Miss Harriet Smith.

Lord Chatham against the American War,
Richard Houghton.

Curfew, Longfellow
Miss Edna Watts.

Appeal to the Hungarions, Kossuth
Arthur Daw.

The Life-Boat, Dagonet
Miss Hanson.

Song, "Rocked in the Cradle of the deep," Knight
Messrs. Dickey, Hamilton, Weil, Leitch, Towne.

PENELOPE REBEKAH HARVEST SUPER

The Penelope Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F. conducted a most successful as well as enjoyable harvest supper in the Odd Fellows hall Friday evening.

A beautiful repast was served from 5 to 8 o'clock. The tables were in charge of the following ladies and assistants:

Mrs. William Mackie assisted by Mrs. Arthur Gile Mrs. Alfred Howes and Mrs. Joseph A. Hincheliffe.

Mrs. C. W. Hinxman assisted by Miss Iona Lake and Charles W. Hinxman.

Mrs. J. B. Lewis assisted by Mrs. George L. Harris and Mrs John Greenwood.

Mrs. George I. Dickey assisted by Mrs. William Fernald and Miss Marion Fernald. Mrs. E. E. Chesley carved.

Mrs. George H. Mizen assisted by Miss Nettie Leonard and James M. Craig collected tickets.

About 250 people were served.

Following the supper a social hour of whist and other diversions were enjoyed.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION.

Odd Fellows hall was filled to the extent of its capacity Monday evening when Miss Alice Rooney and suite of Lawrence publicly installed the following officers recently elected by Bradstreet colony, U. O. P. F.: Governor, Officer James M. Craig; lieutenant governor, Miss Katherine E. Donnelly; secretary, E. L. Perley; treasurer, Peter Barrington; collector, Mrs. G. William Morgan; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. G. William Morgan; deputy sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Wentworth Lewis; chaplain, Miss Emma F. Trulan; inside sentinel, Henry A. Webster; outside sentinel, George H. Shaw; pianist, Miss Elizabeth A. Murphy.

BALLARDVALE.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Augustus H. Fuller, pastor. Services for Sunday, Oct. 21.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor. Subject, "The man with one talent".
Sunday-school to follow.
2.30 p. m. Meeting of Juniors.
6.00 p. m Y. P. S. C. E.
7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by the pastor. Subject, "Wisdom's Ways".
7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. William Ferguson, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Oct. 21.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by pastor. Subject, "Charity."
Sunday school to follow.
3.00 p. m. E. L. Juniors.
6.00 p. m. Epworth League.
7.00 p. m Praise service with sermon by pastor. Subject, "Growing in grace".
7.30 p. m. Wednesday evening, Ladies' Aid society, at Mrs. Salmon Walker's.
7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

Mrs. George Miller spent Wednesday with friends in Lynn.

Roy Pearson is working in Dr. Shattuck's drug store in Everett.

Miss Mabel Easton of Cambridge spent Sunday with friends in the Vale.

John Ryley of Newport, R. I., has been visiting relatives in the Vale.

Miss Lillian Roger of Andover spent Wednesday with Miss Mollie F. Sherry.

Mrs. A. F. Clarke of Waltham was the guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shaw.

Mrs. A. H. Conant of Melrose spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Rev. A. H. Fuller conducted the funeral of one of his former parishioners, Mrs. Susan Williams in Easton, last Wednesday.

Miss Catherine Murray of Lawrence spent Wednesday with friends in the Village.

Last Monday evening two new members were initiated by the local Good Templars.

Mrs. Hugh Steed and Mrs. John Pickels of Lawrence were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews of Medford.

Miss Catherine Campbell of Newton spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Dolly McGovern.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jennings of Everett were the guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Howell F. Wilson.

Mrs. Lizzie S. Barnes of Dedham has been the guest for a week of her aunt, Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden.

Last Sunday evening the local Christian Endeavor society elected the following named persons as delegates to the State Convention, which meets in Worcester, Oct. 25 to Oct. 28: Miss Adele Matthews, Mrs. John H. Smith.

At the meeting of the Cong. church, held last Thursday evening the following named persons were elected delegates to the Andover Conference which meets in North Andover next Tuesday, October 23: Deacon Orrill Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Byington, Mrs. Charles Greene, Mrs. Etta Higgins.

Ballardvale Lodge No. 105, held a meeting of special interest last Monday evening. Two new members were initiated. A large delegation of visitors was present from Lowell, including Mrs. Ida Tilton, G. S. J. T.; Frank McLean, P. D. C. T., Miss Bertha Ober, C. T. of Gen. Fiske Lodge of Lowell. The Good of the Order program was as follows: Address of Welcome by Edmond Hammond C. T., of Ballardvale lodge; Response for Merrimack Valley District Lodge by Frank McLean, P. D. C. T.; address by Mrs. Ida Tilton, G. S. J. T.; address by Rev. William Ferguson, topic, "The relations of a Good Templar Lodge to the Church"; address by Rev. A. H. Fuller, topic, "Fraternity and Good Fellowship"; remarks by Mrs. Millie B. Hammond and Mrs. J. H. Smith. Refreshments were served and the meeting was of profit to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund M. Fessenden and son Donald of Lawrence were the guests Sunday of Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid Society will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the home of the president, Mrs. J. H. Smith.

The annual meeting of the Ballard Vale Baseball Association will be held in Engine Hall this evening, commencing at 7.30 o'clock, for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and for any other business that may legally come before the meeting. Let all those that are interested in maintaining a Village Baseball team, make a special effort to be present.

Wedding.

JOHNSON—BONNER.

The marriage of Miss Mary Ellen Johnson and James Joseph Bonner took place at St. Joseph's church, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30 o'clock. The church was filled with the relatives and friends who were present to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Father McKenna of Lawrence. The bride was very handsomely gowned in a dress of white voile over white taffeta silk, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Jeanie E. Donovan, a cousin of the bride, was attired in a dress of white muslin over green taffeta silk, and carried a bouquet of white pinks. Michael J. Fitzgerald, of Villanova College, a cousin of the groom, was best man. The wedding march was played by Miss Mollie Donovan, a cousin of the bride.

A reception followed from 6 to 9 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Donovan, Andover street, at which about 100 of the relatives and friends were present. A bounteous turkey supper was served by Caterer Thomas Rhodes of Andover. The many beautiful and costly presents showed the high esteem in which the happy couple are held by their many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Bonner left on the 9.45 train for Boston on a short wedding trip. On their return they will reside on Dale street.

SEA SERPENT DESCRIBED.

From the British Medical Journal.

Dr. Raphael Blanchard, professor of the medical faculty of the University of Paris and member of the Academie de Medicine, has been going into the question of the sea serpent and now finds himself in a position not only to describe the monster but to give a portrait of him. He has a head and body like a seal but with an immensely long tail and a very long and flexible neck. He is also ornamented with a fine mustache and he is believed to have a mane, though this does not appear to be quite certain.

Dr. Blanchard holds that the existence of the great serpent is beyond all doubt. He has been seen several times in the Bay of Aloing. In 1904 he was seen by Lieut. Lagresille of the French navy, commanding the Avalanche, and again by Lieut. l'Eost, commanding the gunboat Decidee.

The latter officer's account is remarkable for the precision of its details. The length of the serpent which he saw was at least twenty metres; it had a large dorsal fin and a head like a seal's, but much shorter. Its skin was so tough that shells burst on its surface apparently without more effect than tickling the dome of St. Paul's would have on the Dean and Chapter. Dr. Blanchard notes that it is on the coast of Tonquin that the serpent seems chiefly to show itself, and calls on the Cochin China Government to organize an expedition to capture the monster.

It is a curious fact that in a village on the coast of the Bay of Aloing a stuffed serpent is kept by the natives, who have built a temple for it and pay it divine honrs.

NO HESITATION.

A burly, broad-shouldered man passed through the gates at the Union Station a few days ago and hurried with his two solid-looking suit cases toward a Pullman porter who stood stiffly and erect beside the steps of a parlor car attached to the train. The passenger, who was long on suit cases but short on breath, asked the proud-looking porter:

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